

RE-CREATING THE Nativity Scene at Christmas, with Mary, Joseph, the Infant Jesus and the animals of the manger, with the visit of the Wisemen, originated, many scholars believe, with St. Francis of Assisi on Christmas Eve 1223 in the little mountain town of Greccio, Italy. Wishing to dramatize the birth of Christ for his parishioners, St. Francis and his helpers set up a realistic representation of the manger scene. Thus Mrs. Lila Roberts and her helpers have done the same for Sierra Madreams.

#### 94 Years Old



#### First Mayor To Ride Rose Float In Parade

At the turn of the 20th Century, when Sierra Madre was becoming settled, the civic leaders and businessmen chose Mr. Charles W. Jones to head up the first Board of Trustees, under the Articles of Incorporation back in 1907, and became our first mayor.

Today, 55 years later, he has been called upon again to serve Sierra Madre, and ride on the Rose Float, weather permitting, with the four beautiful queens.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones live at 49 E. Alegria, in the home he built 56 years ago. Mr. Jones, now 94 years old, has

seen many changes take place within the Sierra Madre boundaries, and can still vividly recall the days when water was a serious problem, as it is today, and Sierra Madreams had to stand guard against Lucky Baldwin, who also needed water for Arcadians.

Mr. Jones migrated to Sierra Madre in 1906 from the mid-west, and gave up his profession of teaching, and turned to the hardware business, and building. In those early days people came to Sierra Madre for their health, and according to AMA, "Sierra Madre was one of the three most healthful areas in the world to live in."

Mr. Jones is quite active, though he officially retired 39 years ago. He often gets up at 5:30 a.m., works around the house, or garden, and enjoys the beauty that surrounds him. He and Mrs. Jones have been married for 63 years. Sierra Madre is proud, and honored to have one of Sierra Madre's first distinguished citizens ride Sierra Madre's float — "The First Rose Parade 1890."

WEATHER		
	High	Low
Dec. 5	84	44
Dec. 6	81	41
Dec. 7	83	42
Dec. 8	72	44
Dec. 9	69	44
Dec. 10	80	44
Dec. 11	68	48

However, the big retreat poor, misguided Nehru should undertake is a retreat for pacifism without adequate guarantees.

Millions in South America were starving, so United States agricultural experts and Peace Corps aides went to them and have helped them so much that now Brazil is fearful that overproduction will lower prices for farm products. Well, for Heaven's sake, let's not undertake any price supports in Brazil. . . . In our own nation, many big corporations are now profiting heavily by price-supports while the cost of living continually goes up and the proportion of small farms continually goes down. Both situations seem to prove the more-abundant life could be assured for all of us if some of us didn't habitually take advantage of the rest of us. An embarrassment of food surpluses where there is also a big surplus of hungry citizens is a shameful commentary on human greed and failure to apply intelligence.

We all boast of our climate, but I hear of one couple who plan to be away — Please turn to Page 10

#### Pickering To Head Rose Parade

Pasadena's Tournament of Roses this year gives a resounding salute to this country's effort in the Space Age by naming the man who first successfully launched our orbiting satellites, Dr. William H. Pickering, to serve as Grand Marshal of the 74th staging of the New Year's Day floral fete.

Stanley L. Hahn, tournament president, today announced the identity of the honoree, who will lead the world's greatest parade of flowers. In making the announcement, Hahn stated, "It is appropriate to honor the man on New Year's Day, who launched this country's historic initial space effort. His selection is significant because his pioneering effort laid the groundwork for the projection of communications satellites, such as the Relay, which, according to present plans, will carry through space our spectacular event to 30 nations of the world. This is also a historic first."

The honoree resides at 2514 N. Highland, Altadena, with his wife, Muriel, and their son, William, 22, and daughter, Ann, 19.

As Grand Marshal of the 74th Tournament of Roses, Dr. Pickering will give the signal for the starting of the great procession of beautiful blooms of midwinter. Accompanied by his wife, he will ride at the head of the parade in an automobile decorated with 5,000 red roses.

#### Up Goes The Tree

Christmas comes but once a year — and into that magic "once" are packed years and year of well-loved traditions. Candles gleam brightly, bells ring merrily, glad carols fill the air.

Up goes the tree and on go the ornaments and lights, in many a home and in many other places, too, both in and out of doors. Evergreen branches, holly and mistletoe decorate the season.

Children eagerly await Santa Claus, his sleigh and his reindeer. Stockings are hung, and greetings and gifts, gaily wrapped, spread the spirit of Christmas.

How did it all begin? The manger scene, in churches and homes testifies to the religious meaning and real beginning of Christmas. To be glad and grateful, to give and to help others are expressions of that meaning.

The legends and customs of the holiday season, however, come from scores of sources, and many ancient festivals have contributed their part to Christmas as a time of merry-making.



THE FOUR QUEENS and the best selection of Sierra Madre Rose Float Association are shown with the construction of their carriage for the Rose Parade January 1. Left to right, Marie Therese Daniels; Sue Murphy, Susie Rempel and Joan Cameron.

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## Ower Puts Council On Damage Notice

### Refers Problem To Capital Improvement Committee

#### Sierra Engineering Draws Comments of Great Improvement On Noise Problem

The City Council met in regular session Tuesday evening, December 11 with all members, City Attorney, City Clerk and City Administrator present. With a fairly light agenda the Council adjourned after one hour and twenty minutes in session.

Prior to the regular meeting the Council met with the Sierra Madre Defense Commission to discuss the situation of Sierra Madre relative to shelters, fallout, their activity, and what could be expected in the future in regards to their work.

Very little was accomplished other than discussion, explanation and anticipation, but it was noted that the Defense Commission is continually active and abreast of all situations, although their work is unnoticed, they are working and compiling materials of great value.

Notice was received from Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owers through their attorney Noren Eaton, that they were placing the City on notice and charging them with the responsibility of damage to their property relative to excess water and debris, should same be apparent. That certain conditions now exist, due to drainage, that would cause them extensive damage. That they desired that the situation be remedied immediately.

By voice vote, the council took notice of the situation and referred it to the Capital Improvement Committee for study. At the same time they also referred the Sunnyside Storm Drain situation to the same committee.

First reading of Ordinance 690 relative to changing rezoning on three parcels of property was completed.

Planning Commission actions relative to R-3 drive-ways, amendment, and to Hillside plantings was accepted by the Council and referred to the attorney for ordinance to make them mandatory.

Discussion of the Sierra Engineering and its noise problem was given thorough review, with several citizens present to express their views. It was the opinion of the council and the citizens that the condition was very much improved, and that further improvement would be accomplished if the En-

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#### Little Short of Goal

### Community Chest Board Gives Thanks to Helpers

The Community Chest Thermometer has been removed from Kersting Square in deference to the Christmas scene, but the Board of Directors will inform our fellow citizens and contributors of the progress of the chest in the Sierra Madre News by courtesy of Editor Evans, to whom hereby a great big "Thank you" for all the publicity given to us.

Our sincere thanks also to the many who helped during the solicitation; all the volunteers and representatives of the agencies, including the USO Junior Hostesses from the Los Angeles area; the Camp Fire Girls, who folded the let-

### Atlas Federal To Pay 4.8% Starting Jan. 1

Roger A. Gurley, executive vice-president of Atlas Federal Savings and Loan Association of Pasadena, today announced that the Board of Directors of the Association has declared a dividend for the current quarter ending Dec. 31, 1962 at the rate of 4 1/2 percent per annum.

Future dividend plans were also revealed by Bruce Reagan, president, who announced that "In view of the projected high level earnings for the upcoming quarter resulting from the conservative management policies of the Association a rate of 4.8 percent per annum is planned beginning Jan. 1, 1963."

Along with Gurley and Reagan, the Directors of the Association include C. Elmer Anderson and Leonard A. Diether.



THE QUEEN BEES and the Workers are shown in the construction of the Sierra Madre entry in the Pasadena Rose Parade. The Queen Bees, left to right are Marie Therese Daniels, Sue Murphy, Susie Rempel and Joan Cameron. The Workers: Bryce Tyler, Carl Brand, Ralph Rule, Manuel de la Torre, Bill Bennet, Van Reed, and Pat Sullivan.

### Decorators Needed . . .

Sierra Madreams interested in helping decorate the Sierra Madre Rose Float December 30 and 31, are requested to contact Mrs. Betty Collup, flower decorations chairman, and register.

Civic, church, and youth organizations are especially encouraged to participate in groups, as they have in past years. Volunteers must live in Sierra Madre, and have attained the minimum age requirement of 12 years.

Since there is a limited number and space available, and schedules are being set, it is very important that all adults and teen-agers sign up early. For additional information call Betty Collup, EL 5-6086, today.

### Red Cross Asks Give Someone His Life For Christmas — Donate Blood

For the first time in its peace-time history the Red Cross Blood Center at 1130 S. Vermont Ave., Los Angeles, will open its doors to blood donors on a Sunday.

The day is December 23 — from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. — just two days before Christmas. Red Cross hopes to collect enough blood that day to meet the extra need during the holiday season.

Mrs. Richard Barden, blood program chairman for the Sierra Madre branch, points out that this will be an opportunity for individuals in this community "to be a real Santa Claus this year and help give someone his life for Christmas."

Residents of this community who wish to participate should call Red Cross at EL 5-0745 or SY. 6-9141.

### Brothers Serving Aboard Carrier

The following brothers: John R. Lofgren, seaman, and Eric A. Lofgren, airman apprentice, sons of Dr. and Mrs. Warren F. Lofgren of 200 S. Sunnyside Ave., are serving aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Ranger, operating in the Western Pacific with the Seventh Fleet.

The Ranger is part of American seapower abroad, an instrument of national policy and goodwill. The ship is scheduled to visit ports in Japan, Okinawa, the Philippines and the British Crown Colony of Hong Kong.

### State-Wide Mark \$2,001

### Assessed Valuations of L.A. County \$2,096 Per Capita

Per capita assessed valuations in Los Angeles County reached \$2,096 for the current 1962-63 fiscal year, according to a study just completed by California Taxpayers' Association. This is an increase of 3.4 percent from the \$2,027 for the preceding 1961-62 year.

On a state-wide basis per capita assessed valuations passed the two thousand dollar mark to reach \$2,001 for 1962-63. This compares with \$1,955 for the preceding year and is an increase of 2.4 percent.

Californians are accustomed to huge increases with the tremendous growth our state has shown — first in the nation in population.

A certain amount of growth in assessed valuation is to be expected because of this population growth. Per capita valuations show the relative change in valuation for each man, woman and child in the population and indicate the growth over and beyond that proportionate to our population growth, the Association study pointed out.

An indication of the relative strength of a county's — Please turn to Page 8

### Firemen's Dance Saturday Night

The Sierra Madre Volunteer Firemen are ready for their annual Christmas Dance to be held this Saturday, Dec. 15 at the Sierra Madre Woman's Clubhouse.

Sidney Zaid and his orchestra will play for dancing from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Proceeds from the affair will be used for the traditional Children's Christmas Party in the Sierra Madre Park on Christmas Eve.

If you have not purchased a ticket they will be available at the door Saturday night.

### Jim Dewey Promoted to FAA Western Region Post

Alfred James Dewey Jr., son of Mrs. Sally Dewey of 56 S. Lima St. and the late Alfred James Dewey, and brother of Mrs. William Underwood of 770 Canyon Crest Drive, has been promoted to assistant branch chief at the Federal Aviation Agency Western Region office in Inglewood.

Jim, who has checked out in everything from helicopter to jet fighters, has been flying for 31 years and has been with the FAA during the last 21 years except for a tour of duty with the military during World War II, when he was with the Ferry command flying C-46's over the "hump" between India and China, and assignments with the Military Air Transport Service.

The Distinguished Service Cross and two Air Medals with three Bronze Stars are among his citations.

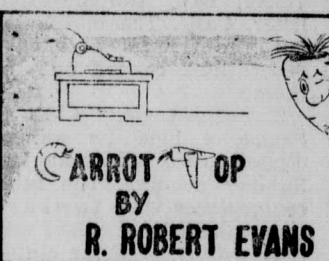
He has lived in Santa Paula for the past nine years with his wife, Gwen, and three children and during that time beat the traffic to Santa Paula by flying his midget airplane. Jim has a flying family, as his wife is a pilot and his oldest son operates a flying school in Santa Paula. Jim was born in New York, lived in Sierra Madre at 250 W. Highland Ave for eight years before going to Santa Paula.

### Honored On 86th Birthday

Mrs. Fannie Lacey of Sierra Madre recently celebrated her 86th birthday at the home of her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lacey of 3765 Denair St. in Upper Hastings.

Among the family members who honored their mother were children Mrs. W. N. (Alma) Spargur of 47 N. Lima St., Miss Birda Lacey, Mrs. Margaret Frederick, Mrs. Frances Dawson and Mrs. June Eastwood of Pasadena, Mrs. Lucille Waite of Escondido and Mrs. Florence Kearney of Ramona.

Four generations were represented including grandchildren and great grandchildren. Other out-of-town family members telephoned during the afternoon from Arizona, Texas and Palto Alto.



A third rate golfer, and I am not mentioning any names, after a particularly bad session in a sand trap, tried to relieve the uncomfortable silence following his awkward performance by cheerily declaring to the caddy: "Funny game, golf." The caddy sighed softly. "Taint meant to be," he muttered. And sometimes that is the way this "Cow Pasture Pool" seems to me, but I'll have to admit a good many people enjoy it.

Counting today, we have but ten shopping days left until Christmas, and that, my dear friends, is cutting the time rather thin. Seems that there has been a surge of early buying this year, but merchant stocks are still in good shape and it is not too late to get those preferred items that are temporarily out of stock. I would suggest that you do not let too much time elapse . . . get it done today.

I have read where a report was made about a young Texas scientist who had developed a "thinking" machine, of all things. This machine will answer questions, plays tic-tac-toe, and even talks to itself, and is a little chilling to the average person.

We seem to be coming closer and closer, not only to 1964, but to that day science fiction has for so long been predicting, when robots will take over.

It is hardly comforting to know, either, that these electronic brains are subject to human-like error. I recall, for instance, the case of the translating machine of several years ago which was asked to translate into Russian the phrase, "The spirit is willing but the flesh is weak." The machine did so with electronic aplomb, but when asked to retranslate it into English came up with the following:

"The liquor is still good, but the meat has gone bad." Seems to me that even the machines do not know how to handle those Reds.

Just had a chance to look over the windows at West's Suburbia. Most outstanding, and beautifully done.

Of course I recognize that I am from the Roaring '20s, and I can imagine that it raises the hair of some of our younger generations. I was talking to one of them the other day about this bouffant hairdo craze. The only thing I could get out of her was: "I put so much spray on my hair in the morning a hurricane — Please turn to Page 16



# Weekly Shades Of Hastings to the Sierra Madre News . . .

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After staring at each other all day and finding nothing clever to say, we have decided to say nothing . . . NOTHING!

Representing Hastings Ranch at the annual Tournament of Roses Queen's Breakfast were Mrs. Jack Mayhew and daughter, Judy, Mrs. Harry Langstaff and daughter, Carol, and Margie Shearer, sister of Princess Susan. The tables were decorated with red roses and silver crowns. When the Royal Court was presented, their mothers were introduced also. Queen Nancy Davis wore white which was complemented by the toast-colored suits of her Princesses. Also attending were Col. and Mrs. Richard Lynch, formerly of Hastings, now residing in Altadena.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wells, parents of Norma Lacey, will arrive this week from New Market, Iowa, to spend the winter with their daughter and family. This is their fourth visit to California. The Herb Lacey home was the scene of another exciting event. They recently gave a surprise birthday open house for Herb's mother, Mrs. Fannie Lacey. The occasion was Fannie's 86th birthday. All eight of her children, plus five great-grandchildren and forty-seven other relatives were in attendance. She was a very surprised lady! To add to the pleasure of the day, she received five long-distance telephone calls from the grandchildren who could not be present. There were calls from Tucson, Ariz.; El Paso, Texas; Palo Alto and Hollister, Calif. The motif was autumn flowers and cake decorations carried out the theme.

The Newcomer's Club of Pasadena held its annual dinner-dance at Eaton's last Sunday evening. The table centerpieces were topiary trees made by the Arts and Crafts division of the club—they were later given as prizes. Those attending from the Ranch were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bleuel, Albert Keene, Roy Heinz (Rosanne is this year's president), Al Weber, E. C. Sanborn, H. L. Hansen and Robert Snivey. The cultural contribution for the evening was presented by the Kitchen Band, consisting of some of the members.

Members of Las Compa-

neras and their husbands had a pleasurable social hour in the gracious home of the Robert Farmers before going to Eaton's for dinner and dancing. Carmen, wearing a lovely blue and silver sheath, greeted her guests. Standing in the corner of the foyer was a "Partridge in a Pear Tree." Party chairman, Gloria Murison, looked stunning in her gold and damask gown. Later in the evening, we saw many other lovely ensembles. Everyone ate, danced, and had a fun time.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Farmer, their home, and the "Partridge" did double duty last weekend. The Cystic Fibrosis Guild of Hastings Ranch had its annual Christmas cocktail party on Sunday evening at their house. Mrs. Alan Stearns, president of the Guild, and members welcomed Provisionals and their husbands—Messrs. and Meses. Josepa Vegil, David Copley, Warren Clement, Roger Peterson and Allen Pulsifer.

Christmas is a coming—the geese are getting fat. We won't go any further with a poem that starts like that. But the problem you'll be facing. And one that we share, too—

Is to count the calories ahead of time. Or the fat will be on you! Join us—we are now going on a European tour. Mr. Jan Black of Rensford Avenue has just returned from a ten-week business and sight-seeing visit, and the next best thing for us is to see it through his words.

Jan started in London by observing the Changing of the Guards at Buckingham Palace. He drove through the countryside. According to him, they have no speed limits and he was driving at a fast 100 m.p.h. on England's new Motorway No. 1—but cars kept passing him. Those British are speedsters!

On to Brussels! Before Jan arrived in this busy capital, there had been a battle between the Flemish and the French. There were police, mounted guards and soldiers all over the city. Brussels was like an armored camp. He didn't remain there very long.

From there, he drove to

Stockholm. Here, too, they had the Changing of the Guard. Although not as elaborate as the other, the traditional background gave more flavor to the ceremony. Because he was constantly on the move, Jan had not had an opportunity to read the news, but in Copenhagen he was jolted into obtaining an American newspaper. The Danes flash their news via electric lights on the buildings, and, though written in Danish, the word "Cuba" kept reappearing. In this way he learned of the Cuban crisis. A third of the population of Denmark lives in Copenhagen and, to the outsider, it would seem they all ride bicycles and smoke pipes!

Rotterdam was the next stop. The citizens of this city are very proud of their new underground train system. Jan took a side trip to Kinderdijk, unique because it is an area of windmills. There are fifteen in a row along the canal.

Going from Rotterdam to Stuttgart (over 700 miles), our friend used the new German Autobahn highway. Because this is a brand new road, there are still many areas under construction. Driving over a hundred miles an hour, "Ace" Black thought he was making good time. Of course, these spurts of speed were over-compensated for by the twenty-minute rest periods every fifteen miles or so! When he finally arrived in Stuttgart, he found his average speed was forty-five miles per hour. Later, circling through the Black Forest, he passed through Ulm and Heidelberg, and returned to Frankfurt.

Our guide now takes us to Berlin. West Berlin is like any other American or European town. After having driven himself this far, he decided to take a bus and leave the driving to them! He saw the Victory Column which was constructed in 1870, and Hitler was also buried in the park. In front of the Brandenburg Gate, in the British section of Berlin, stands the Russian War Memorial surrounded by barbed wire. This monument is guarded on the street by British soldiers and, inside, there are always two Russian guards. From there, Jan saw the flag of East Ger-

many and the reflection of binoculars indicating that all tourists in this area are closely observed by the Communists. This gate is called Check-Point Charlie and is the only place where one can enter East Berlin. Here the West Berlin guide leaves the bus and the East Berlin representative takes over. At this point, all valuables must be checked and declared, so the passengers turned their possessions over to the first guide. This procedure took about an hour.

Upon passing into East Berlin, tourists are given a booklet telling about culture in East Germany. Jan's impressions were many, but the predominant feeling was one of depression. He said that the area has never been rebuilt—crumbled and bombed-out buildings re-

main—few people in the streets—hardly any cars—and very little in the stores. They traveled down one big street called Karl Marx Alley, formerly Stalin Alley. This street apparently was the "show place" of East Berlin. There were Socialist slogans in red and white everywhere. The only place that showed any sort of upkeep was the Russian Memorial Park. This was dedicated to the dead Russian soldiers and had many impressive statues.

After returning to West Berlin, Jan decided to take the night club circuit. First he went to Resi, where telephones were available at each table and a tube-type postal system for communication between customers spiced up this part of the evening. This night club is noted also for its spectac-

ular water fountains. The evening ended at Hausbrau House in the best old German tradition—beer cellar, band in lederhosen, and, of course, Polkas!

Flying from Frankfurt to Geneva across the Alps was a rare and exciting experience. Over Mount Blanc to Rome and St. Peter's Square went our traveler. The sight of so many people from different countries and of varied means and color meeting together to receive the Pope's blessing is one of great impression and will long be remembered. Later, Jan visited St. Peter's Cathedral. Ambitious sight-seers must walk to reach the top—up, up, up a very narrow winding staircase. If one should be stout, one would not reach one's goal. Jan then drove on Rome's freeway, the Highway of the

Sun, through Florence to Milan and only had time for a peak at the La Scala Theater.

Since he has visited Las Vegas and seen the Lido show there, he decided to attend the original in Paris. In France, people work late so that business appointments can be set up as late as seven or eight o'clock in the evening. This leaves the Frenchman little time for night life.

It is interesting to note that after this extensive ten-week tour, Jan arrived home from London in less than four hours, via jet Polar Flight with a refueling stop in Toronto. It's been fun sharing this trip with you, Jan Black, but we're glad you're home.

Have you finished your Christmas Shopping? Courage—neither have we!

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## Fire Prevention Cautions On Yuletide Decorations

This being the time of year for Yuletide decorations and outdoor displays, real caution should be exercised with the use of electricity. The fire department, as well as everyone else, likes to see many Christmas decorations displayed around town to help with the spirit of the season, but let's not have a disaster to mar the holidays.

When using electrical equipment, or lights, make sure that they are of an approved type for outdoor use. With the chance of rain, and these foggy nights, the water could get into a fixture and cause a short-circuit, and possibly a fire. It is noted that approved fixtures, or sockets, are weather-tight to prevent the water hazard. Whenever possible, use a separate, fused, circuit for such displays.

Even with the use of electric lights on the tree, there is always danger present. If there is any doubt of safety, have your tree flame-proofed by an accredited outfit. Even then, do not place flammable materials too close to the lights, and do not use large bulbs that will give off too much heat. The standard types of light strings available in any store are fine, particularly if they bear the "U.L." label.

## Evergreen Still Tops As Trees

Nowadays Christmas trees are made out of almost everything—from aluminum to plastic—but the world's favorite Christmas tree is still the evergreen.

Many legends explain how the evergreen became associated with Christianity and Christmas. One is the story of St. Wilfred, according to The Book of Knowledge.

Speaking to a group of converts, the saint sought to illustrate how they had broken away from the heathen worship of the Druids.

He chopped down a giant tree—an oak, since this kind of tree was one of the chief objects of Druid worship. As it fell with a crash, it split into four pieces. From the center a young fir tree sprouted.

Sir Wilfred told the converts that the fir should from then on serve as their "holy tree."

"It is the sign of an endless life," he said, "for all its leaves are evergreen, and it points toward heaven."

"It is the wood of peace, for all your homes are built of the fir. Let this be called the tree of the Christ Child; gather about it, not in the wild wood, but in your homes."

## Retiring City Employee Honored

Macedonio Sanchez, gardener and custodian at the Sierra Madre Public Library for over 13 years, was recently guest of honor at a farewell luncheon. Mr. Sanchez, a resident of Sierra Madre for 40 years, is the first city employee to retire under the California State Employees Retirement Plan adopted for city employees.

The Rev. George Lindsay, chairman of the library board, presented Mr. Sanchez with a gift from his friends at the library. He expressed deep appreciation for a job "well done." Probably few receive the respect and affection from their friends, as was demonstrated at this gathering.

Included among the guests were his wife, Mrs. Maria Sanchez and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ramon Sanchez. Also attending were Miss Lulu Moore, former city librarian now retired, Mayor Webster Vanier, city administrators Lawrence Bevington and Tom Butch as well as library board and staff members.

**WRITING CAROLS**

Men from many walks of life have contributed to the Christmas chorus of carols. Francis Scott Key was not only a lawyer and the author of the Star Spangled Banner; he also wrote carols. And the comedian, Harpo Marx, authored a carol now sung in many churches, "Guardian Angels."

Next time—relax at the **PLAZA SHOP** Dresses - Negligee Sportswear 39 EAST MONTECITO "Ask Trudie" — EL 6-1495

Watch out for "cheap" light sets, they may not be approved.

Fire Marshal Bert Embree has issued a previous warning to be sure to check all furnaces and heating appliances before the winter months set in. This year alone, we have had five fires from faulty furnaces, the most recent of which gutted a home in the canyon. Through the quick action of the fire department, and the fact that the hillside behind the house had lots of greenery planted (as has been suggested by the Fire Marshal), the fire was contained to the structure alone.

Fire Chief Charles Brown and the entire department wish to extend the Merriest of Christmases and the Happiest of New Years to each and every one of the citizens under his protection, and urges the utmost of safety precautions to make this the safest of holidays.

## Charles Baker Services Wed. Dec. 12

Charles Baker, age 96, passed away at his home, 271 N. Lima St., Sunday, Dec. 9, after a lengthy illness.

His occupation was cabinet maker of the old school and he had lived in California for 69 years. He originally came from Pennsylvania.

He is survived by a stepdaughter, Mrs. Marian D. Shaw of the same address.

Services were held at Ripple Mortuary Chapel Wednesday, Dec. 12, at 1:30 p.m. Rev. George Lindsay officiated. Interment was at Forest Lawn Cemetery, Glendale.



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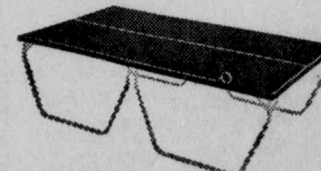
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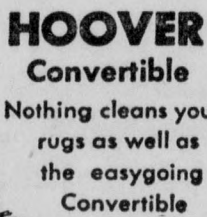
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## Letters To The Editor...

Dear Editor:

Have suitable magnifying glass; am eager to enjoy a similar degree of astonishment as did you upon finding the Treasury Building to be inverted on certain ten-dollar bills.

Would very much appreciate your sending me one of the aggravating "saw-bucks," as a token of your sincerity, so that I may personally aid you in your search for the one, true, beguiling answer to the riddle.

I wish to commend you for having related the distress signal to the post office. Yes, it is only by chance that I go there, too — the parking is even more chancey. Indeed, there the flag should very well be hoist upside-down to confess the shame of its "distressing" location, and, in my opinion, it should remain thus flown until "they" fly the structure back into town where it belongs. Chances are that by the time of one or two more postal increases and further concurrent southerly slippage, the "deficit" will fetch up plumb beyond recall in Northern Arcadia — to be pointed out in later years as THE GREAT SIERRA MADREAS fault!

Trusting the bit about sending the bill will meet with your heartfelt monetary accord, I remain — to be astonished, "Skeptic" Waterhouse 60 E. Bonita P.S. Two fives in lieu of the ten'll be most acceptable.

To the Editor:  
Copy of letter sent to California Sewer Construction Co.

Dear Sir:  
With reluctance, I am agreeing to a permit to connect the sewer at my address. The reluctance is not due to doubts about the workmanship of the project, but rather due to the manner in which the work was contracted. Giving you the benefit of the doubt, I am voicing my protest toward your representative, who, of course, is an integral part of your organization.

The man who called on me is certainly one who does not enhance the reputation of your company. When I remarked that I would like to talk it over with my son, he must have realized that I am a widow. These are the statements that he made:

1. California Sewer Company is the only company handling the connections in Sierra Madre.
2. The City is only taking the sewer to the curb.
3. It is compulsory to con-

nect.

4. Sign now. If I have to come back, it will cost you three times as much.

Now, perhaps some of the statements are at least partially true. Perhaps I am among the minority of those he talked to in such a manner. I know I am ignorant of such subjects. (That is why I wanted to talk to my son before committing myself.) But the statements above will show you the manner by which I was coerced into signing then — only to discover later that most of the statements are untrue.

You sent a man out yesterday to find out what the problem is. Well, my big problem is this: By allowing such a situation to pass unchallenged, I feel I am forfeiting my rights as a good citizen, and thereby condoning an action that, in my opinion, is decidedly un-American.

The only way I can assuage my conscience is to tell you about it, in hopes that you, as the head of an organization dealing with the American public, will exercise more caution in the future as to the type and caliber of men you hire to represent your company in this field.

WILMA T. GODFREY.

Dear Editor:

Now that President Kennedy has fully reaffirmed his confidence in Adlai Stevenson's handling of the Cuban affair, it appears to me that the President ought to tell the American people just whom it is that Stevenson is satisfying — Castro, Khrushchev, Kennedy or the American people.

Stevenson was recently quoted as saying: "I hope the time hasn't come in the United States when it is considered better to advocate war to settle issues than peaceful means, because, if that time should come, the world is doomed." Yet, having made this statement, Stevenson strongly denies his role as an appeaser. Let us think for a moment of the terrible implication of that pronouncement.

Why do we have — and boast of having — the

world's strongest arms? After all, we have just those arms for the purpose of protecting ourselves, our rights and the freedom of those whose violated rights would in turn threaten our own security. After all, what good is our armed might if it is not backed up by a firm resolution to let the world know that we will not be bullied, that our rights will be fully protected, if need be, by the use of those very arms?

For us to advertise to the world that we will readily, gladly surrender, right, principle, integrity, and sovereignty, if need be, to avoid a risk of war is, in effect, to tell our enemies that they have nothing to fear from us — our guns are either not loaded, or we wouldn't use them if they were loaded. It is thus an invitation to our enemies to take what they want, demand and get, through compromise, whatever they want and that at all times we will surrender whatever is necessary rather than fight.

And this is the man, Stevenson, in whom President Kennedy has complete confidence. Can the American people have confidence in either one? Are we to have the slightest confidence in the Communist as-

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere gratitude to all our good friends and neighbors for their great kindness and help at the passing of our beloved mother and sister, Mrs. Louise L. Bray.

Her daughter, Mrs. Bernice Seaholm, 288 Mariposa Ave., her sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Podilska, 650 W. Montecito, and Mrs. Marie Kral of Prescott, Arizona.

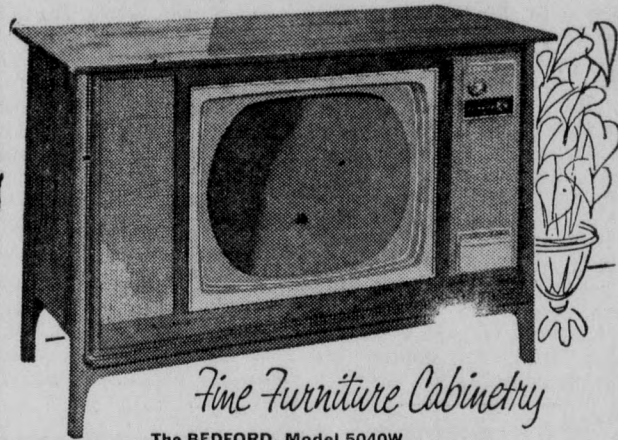
Her brother, James Kupa of Chicago, Illinois and her four grandchildren.

## VISITING LAS VEGAS

Notice was received this week that Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Raegner, Jr., of 439 Mariposa were enjoying a stay in fabulous Las Vegas. Upon leaving Las Vegas they will visit Death Valley before their return home.

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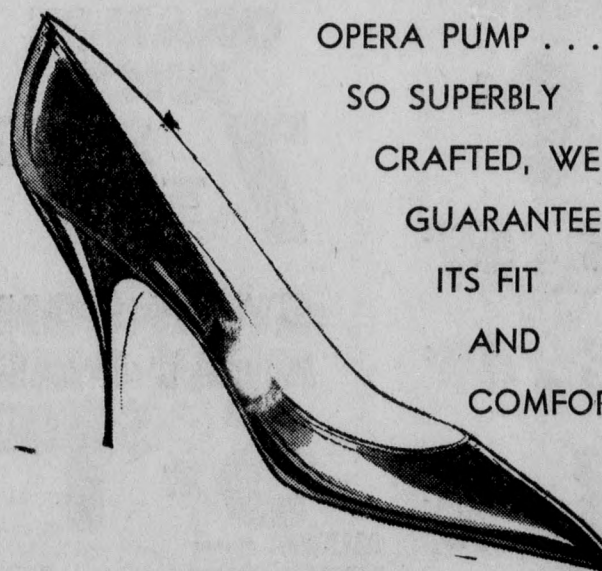
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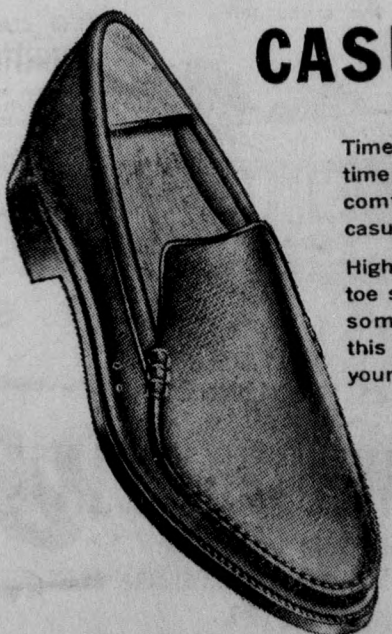
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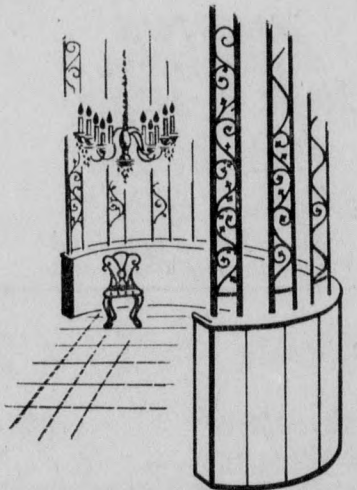
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Norma Hoeneman  
In New York

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She is regularly assigned to the Assembly Social Committee.

Miss Hoeneman is a graduate of Anoka School and University of Southern California in 1959 where she majored in languages. Her sister, Doris is also now attending USC.

Library Business  
On the Boom

In spite of the busy season more books are being borrowed from the Public Library in Sierra Madre than there were during the same period a year ago. Since July there has been an increase of over 4,200 books circulated. Mrs. Josephine Terry, city librarian stated that the increase was evenly distributed between adult and children's books.

All residents of Sierra Madre are entitled to a free library card and may check out books, magazines, records, pamphlets, maps and pictures. Reservations may be placed at a small charge for materials which are checked out of the library. Service for "saut-ins" may be obtained by telephone.

The library is open until 9 o'clock in the evening on the first four nights of the week, Monday through Thursday as well as six afternoons each week and Wednesday and Saturday mornings. A complete schedule may be obtained at the library at 440 W. Sierra Madre Boulevard. Residents are urged to take advantage of their library opportunities.

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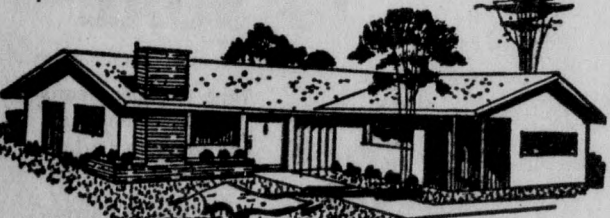
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Volunteer Aids  
At S. M. Hospital

On-the-floor training for Volunteer Aids at the Sierra Madre Community Hospital has been started again.

This is something relatively new under the supervision of the Sierra Madre Hospital Auxiliary and a very rewarding experience for those who may be interested. Please call Jean Brand at EL 5-3685 for details.

Also the gift cart made its first appearance in November at the hospital and will be on the floor each Monday, Wednesday and Friday. If you are interested in helping with the gift cart please call Margaret Lohr at EL 5-6614, or Jean Harris at EL 5-6075. Time involved is one and one-half hours a week in the afternoon, every other week.

Nazarene Church  
Choir to Present  
New Cantata

The Sanctuary Choir of the Sierra Madre Church of the Nazarene will present a new cantata by John Peterson, "The Night the Angels Sang," at the church Sunday, Dec. 16, at 7 p.m.

The choir is directed by David F. Colborn with Frank Leach at the piano and Patricia Stockett at the organ. Mr. Colborn is known to many Sierra Madreans as a teacher at Frank Green's Music For Everyone.

Sierra Madreans participating are Bruce Coleman, Ruth Difley, Patricia Stockett, Ann Litreal and Earl Nickles formerly of this city.

Orchid Society  
To Meet Dec. 20

The San Gabriel Valley Orchid Hobbyists will hold their monthly meeting Thursday, Dec. 20, at 8 p.m. at the Los Angeles State and County Arboretum, 301 N. Baldwin, Arcadia.

The program will feature Dave and Paula Wynn who will show a film of the Orient and the places of interest on the way to Singapore, the location of the 1963 World Orchid Congress.

There will be a plant forum to discuss the orchids brought to the meeting by the members. Anyone who is interested in seeing the film and learning more about orchids is welcome to attend.

Descanso Gardens, a facility of the Los Angeles County Department of Agriculture and Botanic Gardens is open to the public daily throughout the year and is located at 1418 Descanso Drive, La Canada. The Los Angeles County Employees Association urges citizens to take advantage of their park and recreation facilities.

## Mother-Daughter Coffee Dec. 27

Chi Omega Alumnae of the Pasadena area will hold their annual holiday mother-daughter coffee on Thursday, Dec. 27, from 10 to 12, in the home of Mrs.

Hubert G. Cole  
Passes Away

Hubert George Cole, former Sierra Madre resident, passed away at the Long Beach Veterans' Hospital, Nov. 30. Requiem Mass was said at St. Matthew's Catholic Church in Long Beach, Dec. 5 at 8 p.m.

He was graduated from St. Rita's School and attended Cathedral High School. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Henrietta Cole of Duarte, his father and mother, Mr. H. G. Cole of San Pedro and Mrs. Ida Cole of Duarte and his sister, Mrs. Donald (Theresa) Ward of Glendora.

Interment was at Veterans Administration Cemetery at Sawtelle, Dec. 5.

Live Christmas  
Window Display  
In Sierra Madre

Live Christmas window display is in store for the kids and for the kids at heart in Sierra Madre.

Speaking of unusual Christmas window displays this one is certainly different.

Instead of the usual ornaments and snow men, a live ballerina doll and the dancing musical angels will step out from their Christmas boxes.

A beautiful winter scene will provide a sparkling Christmas. Don't miss this Christmas treat at the Suzanne de Trianon School of classical ballet at 51 N. Baldwin Ave.

Tri Delta Alumnae  
Christmas  
Party Dec. 17

Tri Delta alumnae of the Pasadena area will have their annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Byron F. Hill, 1844 Midwick Drive, Altadena, on Monday evening, Dec. 17. The dessert meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. with an evening of games and music.

Assisting on the social committee will be Mrs. Fred Garrison, Mrs. Kenneth Grumbles, Mrs. George S. Hughes, Mrs. Paul Fussell, Mrs. Hugh Edmondson and Mrs. T. R. Harris. A gift grab-bag and holiday bake sale will also be features of the evening, and each member attending is asked to take a gift-wrapped gift for Santa's pack.

Crib  
Crop

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael R. Aronson of 134 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., a son, on Saturday, Dec. 1 at 9:45 a.m. at the Sierra Madre Community Hospital, weighing 6 lbs. 7 oz.

He has been named Michael Ford Aronson and is the Aronson's first child.

His maternal grandparents are Mrs. Henrietta Mollison of Sierra Madre and Mr. Chauncey Burkhead of Goshen, Indiana. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Aronson also of 134 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.

Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mort Burkhead of La Grange, Indiana and paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Ina Virginia Hollenbeck of Sierra Madre.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bartoli of 241-A N. Baldwin are the parents of a girl, their first child, born Monday, Dec. 10 at 7 a.m. in the Huntington Memorial Hospital.

She has been named Renee Lea and weighed 7 lbs. and 14 oz. Her happy maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Shearer of 813 Woodland Dr.

Renee Lea has two great maternal grandmothers, Mrs. Hattie J. Sheahan formerly of Sierra Madre and Mrs. Grace Shearer of Boulder, Colorado.

Her living paternal grandparents (her father's uncle and aunt who raised him) are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holt of Duarte. Renee's grandmother Shearer who is employed at the Sierra Madre Post Office says, "This is the best Christmas we can have."

**DECKING THE HALLS**  
Decorating with red and green, traditional at Christmas, traces back to the early use of red-berried green holly to "deck the halls."

Langdon Tannehill, 1631 Woodgreen Lane, Altadena. Mmes. Gordon Harding, Arcadia, George Newhouse, San Marino, and Margaret Willetts, Pasadena, are in charge of arrangements.

All Chi Omega actives and pledges in the area and their mothers are invited to attend. Among actives in the area who will attend are Karen Methany, Lynn Smith and Nancy Smith of Arcadia; Susan Peters, Barbara Brunner, Holly Graham, Linda Zahradka and Virginia Knapp of San Marino; Sharon Pejisa and Janice Macmillan of La Canada; Judy Jennings, Pasadena; Pat Allen, Linda Woolery and Barbara Bell, San Gabriel; and Marcia Lisle, Sierra Madre.

Mrs. J. Thornton McCarthy, National Alumnae Officer, San Marino, and Mas. Myron Stolp, National Chapter Visitor, Pasadena, will pour.

Christmas Gift  
To the Public

Pasadena City College's musical Christmas gift to the public will be a two-part program, featuring Handel's "The Messiah," to be given under the direction of Robert Heckman, Saturday, December 15, at 8 p.m. in the Saxon auditorium.

The first part of the program will be given by the 35-member Chamber Choir and the 17 Madrigal singers. The choir will present:

"Glory to God in the Highest," Thompson; "Winds Through the Olive Trees," Barker; "Toulo-loulo-lou-ro," Saboly; "Shepherds' Lullaby," Matthew, and "Night Journey of the Wise Men," Morgan.

The Madrigals will present: "Psallite," Praetorius; "Ave Maria," Arcadelt; "Cantata Domino," Hassler; "Lo, How a Rose," Praetorius; "Now It Is Christmas Time," arranged by Pooler; "Star in the South," arranged by Sar-

Camp Fire Girls  
To Sing Carols

The Sierra-Hastings District of Camp Fire Girls will put on their sunniest smile and spread an abundance of Christmas joy to the patients of General Hospital on Dec. 15 when they will travel by bus and car to the hospital for a fiesta. Gifts will be distributed and Christmas carols will be sung.

The carols will be taped for enjoyment at the hospital during the holidays.

Attend the Church  
of Your Choice  
This Sunday

gent, and "A Gallery Carol," arranged by Warrell.

Part two of the program will be the "Messiah" presented by the 100-member A Cappella choir with the following soloists: Eileen Tilford, soprano; Lynda Phillips, alto; Lee Jacobson, tenor, and Bruce Tutuill, bass.

Accompanists for the "Messiah" will be Susan Adams and Ann Felton.

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**ALL STAR TOMATOES 2 29¢**  
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**M.J.B. QUICK RICE 23¢ 45¢ 43¢**

**Swanson Meat Pies 5 \$1.00**  
**MIXED VEGETABLES 21¢**  
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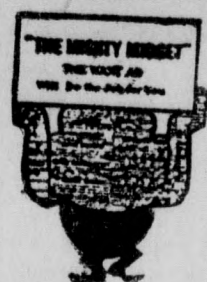
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### Assessed Valuation

property tax base may be gained by inspection of per capita total assessed valuations. This useful statistical measure helps to eliminate the population growth variable in considering property taxing capacity.

Mono and Solano counties have the distinction of having the highest and the lowest per capita assessed valuations in the two years of 1961-62 and 1962-63. In the current fiscal year the range is from \$10,361 in Mono to \$1,377 in Solano, while last year Mono reported \$9,868 and Solano had \$1,331 of assessed valuation per person.

The five counties with the largest per capita valuations in 1961-62 were Mono with \$9,868, Plumas with \$6,293, Alpine with \$6,059, Amador with \$4,531, and Colusa with \$3,922. The same five counties have the highest per capita valuations in 1962-63, ranging between \$10,361 in Mono to Amador with \$4,149 valuation per person.

The five counties with the smallest per capita valuations in 1961-62 were Solano with \$1,331, Napa with \$1,413, Stanislaus with \$1,509, San Diego with \$1,547, and Sacramento with \$1,581. In the current fiscal year, Solano is again the lowest with \$1,377, followed by Napa with \$1,452, Stanislaus with \$1,521, San Diego with \$1,545, and Alameda with \$1,606.

"The taxpayer should not lose sight of the fact that the tax bills which he recently received were based on the spending budgets of the local governments which tax him," S. J. Arnold, the Association's Executive Director, observed. "County, city, school and special district expenditures are the basic cause of local taxation."

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### Letters to the Editor . . .

surance that Cuba has been disarmed? The present Cuban trend of affairs can leave us asking but one potent question: When Kennedy ordered the fleet blockade, just whom was he trying to fool, Khrushchev or the American people?

Kennedy at one time accused them of lying to him. Why, in the name of God, can he now ask us to believe that they — Khrushchev and Castro — are telling the truth? Anyway you patch it up, Mr. President, it still looks like Stevenson was your little hatchet boy, doing just what he is told to do, and your combined endeavor was one of keeping the people at home quiet while Castro and company are having their own way in Cuba.

No wonder you have such confidence in him, Mr. President. It looks like he was a very obedient servant. Please tell me, if you can, how and where I am wrong.

—JOHN H. CURTIS

### Ower Puts

gineering Company receives its permit from the Planning Commission this month for a wall that will further help the situation. Some additional points were brought forth relative to lights, address system and night time unnecessary noises. This will be brought to the attention of the executives of the company, and with their cooperative attitude should be satisfied within a very short time. Resignation of Mrs. Anthony from the Parks and Recreation Commission was rejected with regret by the Council, and at the same time high praise was given her by all members and citizens present.

Mayor Vannier appointed Bauman, Maddox, Thader Throop and Fratt to the Fire Commission, together with the Fire Chief and City Administrator. An ordinance will be forthcoming to amend the code to provide for five members. Formerly it was five including the Fire Chief and City Administrator.

On the Parking District Commission, Mayor Vannier appointed Don Jackson and Jim Burke, with one more appointment to come later. The Senior Citizens Committee appointment was Katherine Wheeler. Accepting a check for \$5,000 for its loss on rain damage from the Federal Government and the receiving and filing of various notices ended the session and adjournment was recorded at 9:15.

### Michael Jeide Family Entertain Mrs. Dorothy Graham of England

Visiting recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike (Diane) Jeide and daughter Heide Anne of 108 N. Baldwin was Mrs. Dorothy Graham of Castile, England. She will be in Leucadea, Calif. for a week and will stay with Diane's grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Walton. She also visited with Diane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Brown in Temple City.

Mrs. Brown was an exchange teacher in England some years ago and Diane was with her and that is where they met Mrs. Graham.

Mrs. Graham, who has lived in Ponteland, near New-Castle-on-Tyne, England for 33 years, next door

neighbor to Mrs. Jeide's great aunt and late great grandmother, had moved to Blenheim Castle prior to her trip to the States and California.

Mrs. Graham thinks Sierra Madre is a wonderful little town and will always remember her pleasant visit here. Heide Anne age 5 years old thinks it fine that her "Aunt" Dorothy now has a castle and wanted to know if the castle housed

### Former Residents Return Here

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Stewart who have been in San Salvador, Central America for the past four years working as missionaries for the Assembly of God Church returned to Sierra Madre several months ago and moved into the old Udell house at 154 San Gabriel

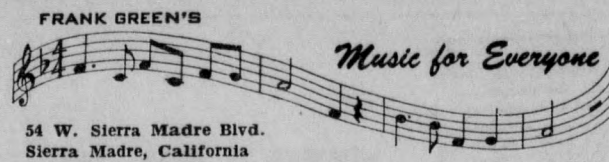
any bad witches or good fairies! Heide is looking forward to going to England and finding out for herself someday.

Before returning home next March 22, Mrs. Graham will visit Seattle, Washington, British Columbia, Canada and return home via Bermuda Islands.

Court. They work in the field for four years and return home for one year's leave and re-orientation.

Mrs. Stewart is the former Lois Cooper of this city and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cooper also former Sierra Madreans now living in San Bernardino.

During renovation of one of the rooms in the upper stories of the house Mr. Stewart found part of an issue of the Sierra Madre News dated April of 1923 under one of the floor coverings . . . and that's nearly 40 years ago, the pages yellowed with age, but still readable.



54 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.  
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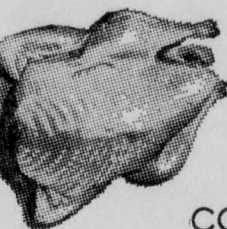
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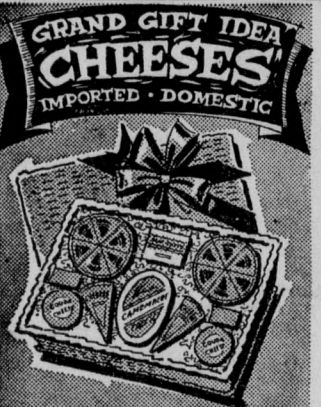
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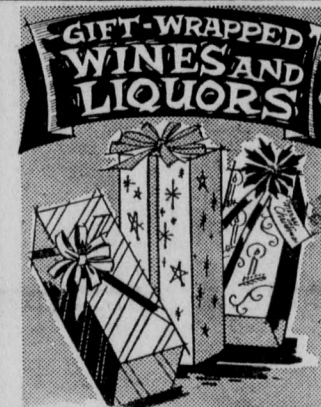
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## Peggy Johansen In Australia

Miss Peggy Johansen, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard (Mary) Wamrock of 258 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., left by jet plane Nov. 30 via San Francisco, Honolulu, Fiji and New Zealand where she met her father and flew on to Australia to spend the holidays with him and other relatives.

Previous to her take-off she was given several parties, one a family party at the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh (Jean) Bell Jr., of 77 S. Lima St., for 25 relatives of the family.

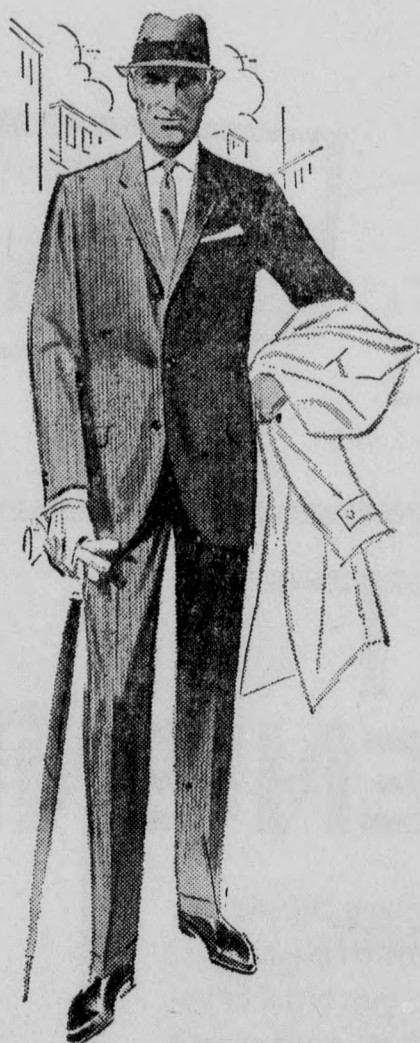
Miss Janet Harfman entertained with a slumber party for Peggy at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Harfman of 69 Suffolk. Guests were Kathy Ower, Lia McCoy, Anna Ashe, Mary Hendricks, Sandy Lester, Fay Rankin, Stephanie Guyer, Pat Frazier, the honored guest and hostess.

**Annual Christmas Party**  
Sierra Madre Chapter No. 299 O.E.S. will hold its annual Christmas party at the Masonic Temple, Monday, Dec. 17 at 8 p.m. An exchange of gifts will be made by members.

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## Alverno Heights Presents Choric Pageant "At the Feet of the Madonna"

The Glee Club and speech class of Alverno Heights Academy, Sierra Madre, will present a choric pageant, "At the Feet of the Madonna," Dec. 16 and 17, in the school cafeteria at 8 p.m.

"The pageant portrays in moving progression different types of women bringing their personal problems and those of the era they represent to Mary, the Christmas Madonna," outlined Sister M. Constance, speech moderator.

Loretta Tauer stands in solemn serenity as the timeless Madonna receiving her children. A young Bethlehemite mother, Claudia Voelkel, comes grieving her dead son. Trembling, Carole Parker, portraying a fourth century martyr, approaches the Towe of David seeking strength in her trials. A power weary queen played by Jane Simon; a pioneer woman, Merlina Espinoza; and the modern girl, Terry Ferrodone, all find that "there is none who may not hope and pray."

The robed speech class will supply the narration as the Speaking Choir, Pat Tache consoles the Hebrew mother with "The Virgin's

Slumber Song," while Christine Kirk completes the martyr's plea with "Ave, My Mother." As the stately queen departs, Susan Riley sings "Queen of Angels," and Kathy Turner joins all the centuries in the timeless "Ave Maria."

## Christmas Cards Show Changes

Greeting cards for Christmas show, each season, an increase in the number of religious subjects—but this has not always been true. In fact, the earliest Christmas cards often had designs that seemed to have no connection with the holiday.

Instead of Nativity scenes or symbols of holly and mistletoe, early American Christmas cards of the 19th century were decorated with roses and portraits of young ladies, according to The Encyclopedia Americana. Often, plump robins were pictured sitting on tree branches dripping with icicles.

In this early stage, pin-up girls were not unusual. Kate Greenaway drawings were frequently used, some cards picturing single figures from her drawings, other portraying dancing girls with garlands of flowers.

About 1870, cards were frosted and fringed with heavy silk.

### HELPING SANTA

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## Eight Continued Actions

## League of Women Voters Held December Meeting

Several area residents participated in the monthly meeting of the League of Women Voters of Pasadena held last week at the Women's City Club. Mrs. John Nyberg of Kinneloa Ranch, State Legislation Direction, and her committee gave the membership a chance to review their continuing responsibilities under the state program. These continuing responsibilities are positions on issue to which the League has given sustained attention and study and on which it may continue to act.

Currently, there are eight, and they were reviewed by the following members: election procedures, Mrs. Henry Paris Jr., political party responsibility, Mrs. George W. Lindsay of Sierra Madre; operation of the legislature, Mrs. Arthur R. Lauder of Sierra Madre Villa; mental health services, Mrs. Clement J. Todd; education, Mrs. Melbey R. Kidd; revision of the Constitution, Mrs. Conrad B. Walburger of Hastings Ranch.

Also, water resources, Mrs. Richard Glass, and state finance also by Mrs. Clement J. Todd. In operation, in the interest of safeguarding the rights of the voter and of encouraging clear and democratic election procedures (C.R. No. 1), the League supports: permanent registration, effective operation of the initiative and referendum, the right of new residents to vote for President, written notice to voters of all elections, and a comprehensive law for reporting campaign contributions and expenditures ("purity of elections" law).

Mrs. Leverett Davis Jr. then spoke on "What Next on Tax Appeals Boards" with respect to the passage of Proposition 15 in the last election, which allows the Board of Supervisors to set up a system of tax appeals boards in Los Angeles County.

## Services For Pearl B. Cook Held Monday

Services were held Monday, Dec. 10, for Mrs. Pearl B. Cook who passed away December 6 in Marlinia Convalescent Home after a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Cook of 198 E. Laurel Ave., age 82, lived in the city of Sierra Madre for 42 years and in California 44 years from her native state of Kentucky. She operated a rest home in Sierra Madre for 20 years and was a member of the Congregational Church.

She leaves to mourn her passing two nephews, Crutchie Moore, of Oakland, Calif., and Guy Diltz of Inglewood. One niece, Mrs. Mary Stout of Inglewood, Calif.

Interment was at Mt. View Cemetery, Altadena, with Ripple Mortuary of Sierra Madre in charge.

## Legion Auxiliary To Meet Dec. 13

Mrs. Orcella Henderson will be hostess to the American Legion Auxiliary this evening, Dec. 13 at 71 Suffolk Ave.

Plans will be made for the annual Christmas dinner party and exchange of gifts.

Attend the Church  
of Your Choice  
This Sunday

## Berries Brighten

The bright red berries of the Christmasberry, an evergreen shrub native to California, are widely used as Christmas decorations. This shrub, with its thick, dark green leaves, can grow to a height of 15 feet. The Encyclopedia Americana says:

Its flowers are white, its berries yellow or bright red. The Christmasberry often is known as the toyon.

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## 2-Year New Agreement

## Telephone Co. Complete Contract With Union

Contract negotiations between Local Union 1008, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, AFL-CIO, and the California Water & Telephone Company have reached a successful conclusion, according to a joint statement issued by Robert Dixon, business manager for the union, and Owen Rabourn, personnel director for the telephone company.

The negotiating committee for Local 1008, IBEW, have unanimously agreed to submit the terms of the new two-year contract to the union membership with its recommendation for immediate ratification.

The new agreement covering a two-year period will be effective as of Dec. 4, 1962, and cover employees of the plant and traffic departments employed by the California Water and Telephone Company.

Included in the terms of the new contract is a 16 cents per hour increase for plant department workers over the two year period, wage increases up to 18 cents per hour for switchboard operators over the two year period, increases in the differentials paid for evening and night shifts worked by the operators, and both groups covered will be affected by an increase in the disability insurance benefits.

According to the Company records, approximately 188 employees are members of the bargaining unit in the Monrovia district and will be affected by the terms of this new agreement.



## Armstrong Completes First Solo Flight

Marine Second Lieutenant Daniel T. Armstrong, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Armstrong of 57 Lowell Ave., Sierra Madre, has completed his first solo flight at the Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Saultfield Field, Pensacola, Fla.

Before the solo, he was required to make 12 flights with instructors.

A graduate of the University of Redlands, Redlands, Calif., Lt. Armstrong entered the service in June, 1962.

Attend the Church of Your Choice This Sunday

## OUT OF THE COBWEBS

Dec. 11, 1925

America's first trackless train, which has just crossed the continent from New York to Los Angeles, will arrive in Sierra Madre this afternoon. After a tour of the city and business district it will remain in front of the Norris store.

Proponents of the proposed change in the zoning law which will be voted upon at a special election next Tuesday have been busy putting their side of the story before the voters. Those in favor of the proposed change appear to have things pretty much their own way up to the present. There is some opposition being voiced which seems to lack leadership.

Roy H. Pickett has purchased the lease on the Wistaria service station from Harry Middaugh and has already taken possession.

Dec. 18, 1925

James Denison Jr., gave a beefsteak fry to ten of his boy friends in the garden of his home at 439 Mariposa Wednesday evening. Among those present were Clarence Morrison and Harold Tucker of Sierra Madre.

Mrs. Stella Dennison gave a birthday dinner in honor of Frank Spencer's birthday on Dec. 9. Thirteen guests were present.

About 35 friends of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Hartman gathered at the new Hartman home, 460 N. Lima, Wednesday evening for old fashioned house warming. The guests brought their own refreshments with them and also brought a chair which they presented to the host and hostess.

Dec. 13, 1945

Sgt. Lawrence Gonzales who was cited for bravery at Iwo Jima arrived at San Diego Dec. 3 after many months of service with the U.S. Marines in the Tank Division.

The Arts Guild members and all of Sierra Madre should rejoice, the Old Brick Oven has been painted. The front of the building has re-

ceived the first coat of paint it has had in 40 years.

Harold A. Drury is able to be up and around after being stricken with food poisoning.

Joanne Bush enjoyed two birthday celebrations for her fourth birthday. One with the family at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Eleanor Whiting, the other for 20 little girls at her parents' home.

Dec. 8, 1955

Mrs. Robert Bettencourt and Mrs. Herman Oas were co-hostesses for the Civic Club Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Lorne Pratt.

Alan Wood was awarded first honorable mention at the local art show in the library community room.

Dr. Milton W. Valois, board president, announced a special meeting of Sierra Madre school board to review the school budget.

Marian and Robert Peterson, whose parents are Dr. and Mrs. M. H. A. Peterson have been selected to appear in the 1956 edition of "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."

## Thanksgiving Assembly At S. M. School

Twenty-nine squad leaders in the physical education program at the Sierra Madre School, chosen from the intermediate grades, were honored at a 9 o'clock assembly Wednesday, Nov. 21.

Each squad leader received a neckerchief as the symbol of his office, presented by Mr. Terry Chambers, representing the Kiwanis Club of Pasadena. Squad leaders serve for a period of one semester and retain the neckerchief for service of that period.

Fourth grade children under the direction of Ruth Searl, Marjorie Wilkman and Margarita Rainey opened the program with Thanksgiving song numbers. James Bowman, leading fifth grade classes, closed the assembly singing other Thanksgiving music.

Squad leaders honored were:

6th Grade boys—Warren Marshall, Nick Owen, Steve Evans, Bob Davis, Chris Stockstill and Mark Hatada. 6th Grade Girls—Jane Carruth, Carlin Verreux, Cindy Schnell, Denise Koch, Susan Oldham and Chris Redman.

5th Grade Boys—Craig Smith, Darrel Gumm, Matthew Spitzer, Duncan Smith, Gregg Patterson, Tom Ames, Chris Christian and George Brett.

5th Grade Girls—Mary Hauck, Pamela Quillin, Georgina Lilley, Patty Colainni, Christie Michael, Jennifer Roberts and Cindy Embree.

4th Grade Boy—Darrel Coffman. 4th Grade Girl—Sally Hensel.

## Source of Santa

Origin of Santa Claus as a gift giver is usually traced to a real St. Nicholas, bishop of Myra, in Asia Minor, in the fourth century A.D. St. Nicholas was renowned for his generosity, and he still retains his role as a gift giver in many countries, arriving on January 6—traditionally the date of the visit of the wise men.

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The Arcadia and Sierra Madre area has again been selected for special broadcasting of the new "Shop and Mail Early" Christmas program recorded under the direction of the Post Office Department, according to joint announcement by Postmasters James L. Balliff of Arcadia and Charles E. Louk of Sierra Madre.

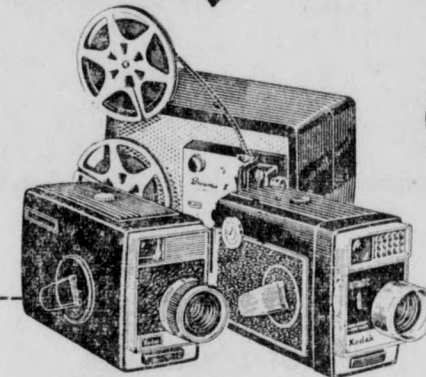
Arrangements for broadcasting the program here have been made with FM radio station KMAX of Sierra Madre, which is cooperating in the project as a public service. The program will be offered at periodic intervals between now and Christmas.

Repeating their own "Shop and Mail Early" pleas, the local Postmasters again reminded patrons that cards and gifts for distant points should be mailed by Dec. 13, to be followed as promptly as possible with those for nearby destinations. The Post Office will make every effort to deliver all Christmas mail by Dec. 24, as there will be no regular mail delivery on Christmas day.

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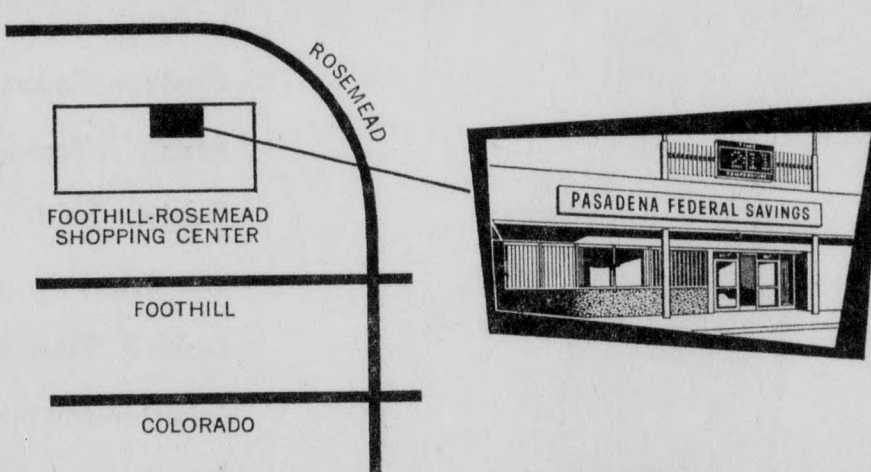
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## Social and Club Activities

### Classroom Christmas Parties

Santa Claus will visit the kindergarten through third grade classrooms, distributing little gifts to the children. All classes will be served punch and cookies by room mothers.

### PTA Annual Christmas Party Dec. 17

Eugene Field PTA will have a luncheon for the teachers and office staff at the home of Mrs. Paul Siechert, who is chairman, along with Mrs. Paul McGovern. Entertainment will be supplied by the Mothersingers under the direction of Mrs. Richard Cannon, director.

### At Sorority Luncheon

Among the alumnae members of Alpha Omicron Pi Sorority from UCLA in Southern California who celebrated the sorority's 65th birthday at a Founder's Day luncheon at the Huntington Sheraton Hotel in Pasadena, Saturday, Dec. 8, was Mrs. Mary Foote of 360 Acacia.

Next time—relax! at the **PLAZA SHOP** Dresses - Negligee Sportswear

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### Jewish Women To Have Gala New Year's Party

Confetti, serpentines and the sound of noisemakers will fill the air at the Foot-hill Jewish Temple-Center, 212 N. Lima, Sierra Madre, on New Year's Eve. Mrs. Michael Chosen, president of the sponsoring Foothill Jewish Women's Club, promises a party that should be "the outstanding social highlight in the community's history."

From 9 p.m. to 7, members and friends of the Temple-Center will be treated to dancing, entertainment and fun. "The Tune Smiths" will provide dance music for the occasion and a sumptuous buffet supper will be served at midnight.

All those planning to attend the party are urged to make reservations with Mrs. Milton Honowitz, EL 5-3219, or Mrs. George Sediner, EL 5-3473.

### FROM QUEBEC?

"Angels We Have Heard on High" is a French carol, although some sources say that it originated not in France but in Quebec, Canada.

### Christmas Dinner For December 22

Without fanfare or formality—in fact, without an organization, those men and women who find themselves without families are invited to join in fellowship with other "singles" for a 6 p.m. dinner, Saturday evening, Dec. 22, in the Gold Room of Pasadena Athletic Club. Advance reservations are required and may be made through Miss Jeri Coyle, 525 E. Colorado St., Pasadena, Box 9048.

At the planning meeting conducted by Mr. C. Lloyd Kamrath who is the founder and organizer of this singles group, Mrs. Elsa Perna, 2089 Oakwood St., Pasadena, was unanimously elected social chairman of the group. She announced that the Girl Scouts had volunteered to decorate the tables for Dec. 22, also to sing Christmas carols at the gathering.

Those who attend are requested to bring a small token gift for exchange and also to bring suggestions for a name for this new club.

First event of this group was a successful Thanksgiving Dinner which proved the need for such a union of similarly situated persons in San Gabriel Valley. Those who enjoyed Thanksgiving Day so much pleaded for a follow-up on the Christmas holiday weekend. Even the planning party held on Dec. 2 at a local cafeteria proved to be a fun activity with all participating freely in the discussions of suitable entertainments for the future. We offer the lonely one, "All-one" family is what said C. Lloyd Kamrath, investment banker—"and really that is just a variation on the spelling of the word Alone."

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They also stopped in San Francisco to visit cousins, rode through the Redwoods and on into Portland, Oregon to visit friends and on into Seattle for the World's Fair. Oct. 4 they flew to Honolulu. This is the third year the Gerkes have vacationed in Hawaii, arriving in time to enjoy the Festival of the Pacific. They returned home on Dec. 4.

### Kohler-Ritter Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ritter of 729 Orange Drive announce the marriage of their son, Dean to Miss Lucille Kohler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kohler of Okawa, Wednesday, Nov. 28, in Pasadena.

The reception was at the home of the bridegroom's parents. Mr. Ritter is in the Navy as HM2, stationed at El Toro Marine Base.

The couple will make their home in Costa Mesa, Calif.

Thought for no particular reason: If it stays warm and sunny all year, how do the trees know when to drop their leaves?

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## The PLAZA Shop Talk

By Sewall Clark

HAVE YOU ever wondered what day it is? Not date. Day! Anyone, especially in writing a check, can pause to wonder what the exact date is, but when you don't even know what DAY it is, brother, it scares you.

I'm not talking about "Lost Week-Ends." I'm talking about the subtle and sometimes tricky essence of the phenomenal, non-substance thing we call Time.

HAVE I lost you already? Never mind. I once reviewed a book on the subject of Time, thinking oh boy, I've got a dull one. Turned out to be one of the most fascinating subjects I've ever encountered.

Seems there are all kinds of time. And I don't mean just as measured by your watch. One kind is known as psychological time. Your watch may say that only five minutes have passed, but under certain conditions of stress those five minutes can seem like five hours—or even a separate, isolated lifetime.

THE PLAZA SHOP is one year old this week. But don't tell me about it. The whole thing happened so so casually, but took hold so fast, that Trudie and I can hardly believe the paint is dry.

No, we're not going to have a big celebration. No flashing lights, please—and no big talk. In other words, let's just relax; you stop hogging the conversation and let's talk about me.

BETTER YET, let's talk about Trudie from Vienna. Me? I'm a journalist, label-wise, who knows practically nothing about the garment industry—but I'm learning. I'm not an astronomer, but I've sold many a feature on that subject merely by interviewing astronomers and astro-physicists. That's the way it works. You don't have to be a musician to appreciate music and you don't have to be a doctor to discover the effects of an aspirin.

In journalism you are supposed to approach your subject from an impersonal, objective viewpoint. But when it comes to describing your wife, it ain't easy.

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Did I say "Us"? Well, not always. I make a pretty good janitor (if I do say so, myself) and I do sneak away to a typewriter once in awhile, but the atmosphere at the Plaza Shop is so beautiful and inexpensive that it's a place you might call "Home, Sweet Home."

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## Botsfords Announce Engagement of Daughter JaNohn; Wedding In Feb.



JA NOHN LEE BOTSFORD

Announcement was made this week by Mr. and Mrs. Leo R. Botsford of the engagement of their daughter JaNohn Lee to Robert Allen Kerrebrock.

JaNohn of 4650 Fairmeade Rd., Hastings Ranch is a graduate of John Muir High School, graduate of Pasadena City College and LA State graduate in June of '63. A member of Delta Phi Upsilon, national honorary fraternity for women in Early Childhood Education, Pasadena chapter, and at

present teaching kindergarten at Longfellow Elementary School in Pasadena. Robert Allen Kerrebrock is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo G. Kerrebrock, 4518 Alumni Ave., Highland Park. A graduate of Eagle Rock High School and UCLA. President of Sigma Pi Fraternity at UCLA. Presently doing graduate work at USC and is a lieutenant in the U.S. Naval Reserve in Pasadena.

The wedding date has been set for Feb. 22, 1963, in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Methodist, Arcadia.

### Alumnae of Delta Zeta Party Dec. 13

Pasadena-Foothill Alumnae of Delta Zeta, a member of National Panhellenic Council, will celebrate the Christmas season with a traditional S'morga shod dinner this evening at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Henry D. Shaw, 2085 Glen View Terrace, Altadena.

As is customary, each member will either bring a gift or make a contribution for the purchase of toys to be distributed on Christmas Eve by the Pasadena Welfare Bureau. In addition, there will be the traditional gift-exchange among the members of the group.

In keeping with the Swedish motif for this particular meeting, vice president, Mrs. Marion Thompson will have as her special program a small group of Swedish carolers who will entertain the Delta Zeta alumnae with typical songs in the Swedish language.

Mrs. James E. Reed is dinner chairman for the evening's repast, and her committee is comprised of Mrs. Donald Van Steenwyk, Mrs. Harold Alwes, Mrs. Herbert De Ley, Mrs. John P. Welch and Mrs. Elizabeth Noble.

### Guests At Queen's Breakfast

Diane Meyer, one of the 1962 Pasadena Tournament of Roses princesses, who lives at 511 S. Michillinda, Pasadena, is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Gerke, 602 Mariposa.

Mrs. Gerke and daughter-in-law Mrs. Richard Carl Gerke were guests of Mrs. Margaret W. Meyer, mother of princess Diane Meyer at the Queen's breakfast, Thursday, Dec. 6.

### Carol Limbaugh Member of Madrigal Singers

Carol Limbaugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy N. Limbaugh of 256 San Gabriel Ct., is a member of the newly formed and heavily auditioned 17-voice Madrigal singers of Pasadena City College.

During the holiday season this group will be PCC's musical representatives to perform for various civic groups.

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I woke up the other morning with that utterly gone feeling that something was pressing me right down to the earth. No, it wasn't a heart attack. It was that I suddenly realized that Christmas was almost here and I have done nothing, absolutely nothing, to prepare for it. I had dreamed that the dawn broke and I rushed frantically down to the drug store to do all of my shopping, buying just helter and skelter without thought, just to have something under the tree for everyone. It gives me chills to think about it. It's true Christmas is for giving, but not giving just for giving's sake. The gift you give should be bought, made or done for just the one you intended to receive it. It should take careful thought and consideration. It should be a gift, no matter how small or large, that shows you care, that you give with your heart and not just with your pocketbook. This is the kind of giving that takes the time, but it also gives the love that means Christmas.

Talked to Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Gesswein of Sierra Madre Villa the other day and they can hardly wait for Christmas vacation and a reunion with their two daughters. She said life has been much too quiet around the house since they have been away to college. Sonya is attending University of California at Berkeley as a junior. Her present major is in sociology and she has plans for social work when she finishes school.

Carol is attending Westmont College in Santa Barbara in her freshman year. Needless to say, the house will be filled with people and happy activities as soon as they arrive.

At long last the Edward Barnes have moved into their lovely new home high on the hill at 1900 Sierra Madre Villa. The Barnes are no strangers to this area and the Hastings area, having lived there for a good many years before moving to Ojai for a year. Everyone knew they would be back, and sure enough they are. They have three children. Their eldest is Diana, who is attending the University of the Pacific. Their boys, Steve, 15, and Tom, 13, both are attending Marshall Junior High School.

Mr. Barnes is associated with the Edgington Oil Company in Long Beach.

Mrs. George (Joyce) Wen-

ger of Sierra Madre Villa had a unique luncheon the other day for some of the newer members of the hill. She invited them all early in the day so they could go out and see the Holiday House at the Descanso Gardens. Afterwards they came back to Joyce's for luncheon. Joyce said the smartest thing she did was to keep her home decorated in the fall motif. She opined she never could have lived up to the magnificent display at the gardens.

Those invited were Mrs. Forest Haugh, Mrs. Sidney Parker, Mrs. Donald Stoll, Mrs. Harold Berg and Mrs. Thomas Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shonstrom of Villa Rica have been busy the past few days, and happily so. They have had houseguests from Atherton, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Dilg, by name.

Birthday time last Friday at the William Morse home on Mesaloe Lane. Mrs. Morse had a few people in for dinner to celebrate her husband's birthday. She said "there weren't many of us but we did have an awfully good time." Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Horton of Arcadia and Mrs. Thelma Petersilge and her daughter, Joanie, and, of course, Bill Morse was there to help with his father's celebration.

Was happy to learn of Mrs. H. M. (Marie) Bucher's one-woman showing of pictures. Many people remember Mrs. Bucher when she lived in the Kinneloa Mesa area, and felt at the time she was slated for big things in the art world with her lovely contemporary work. Looks like they were not alone in their judgment, as her work is becoming widely known among art lovers. Her show will run through January 8 at Saylor Art Gallery, 414 East Fourth St., in Long Beach.

### Giving Gifts

First of all Christmas gifts were gold, frankincense and myrrh, the wise men's gifts to the infant Jesus. Gift giving at the season of the year now celebrated as Christmas can also be traced back to pre-Christian times. The ancient Romans exchanged gifts during their Saturnalia, a festival honoring Saturn, the pagan god of agriculture. Hanging gifts on trees figured in Druid tree worship in early Britain.

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Tournament of Roses Queen Nancy Davis helps Salvation Army "boiling pot" drive to provide Christmas Cheer for needy families. Mrs. Major Orval Taylor is the Salvationist Attendant.

### Next Meeting January 7

## Boy Scout Troop 376 Shows Great Activity

Boy Scout Troop 376 of Sierra Madre show much progress and activities during the month of November, and are planning to continue throughout the month of December and January.

### Scouts Caravan to Desert

A "great time" was reported by boys who attended the Desert Caravan Nov. 23-

25. They arrived Friday, Nov. 23, and set up camp in a high desert valley, including a plateau covered with rocky mountain lava. Friday's activities included a Green Bar meeting, and initiation ceremonies which involved taking the initiates a short distance away from the camp, and letting them find their way back blindfolded.

Saturday featured map-reading practice, a cross-country hike, a visit to Pioneer Town and a bowling alley, a scavenger hunt, and campfire. Sunday found the boys cleaning up the camp grounds after breakfast, then attending chapel services. Arcs were awarded, after which the boys left for home.

The boys want to particularly thank the dads for the hospitality on the trip, and Dick Davey for his leadership.

### Red Rock Canyon Invasion

Red Rock Canyon will be invaded Dec. 15-16, by boys of the troop who have advanced one rank, or won their tenderfoot rating. The boys will leave for the canyon, which is northeast of Mojave, at 7:30 Saturday morning, Dec. 15, meeting in front of the church.

### Snow Camp in January

Plans are underway for snow camp Jan. 19-20, for all boys of tenderfoot rank or above. A limited number can be provided for, so it's a first-come, first-served deal for the boys as they get their fees in.

### Lighting Candles

Candles at Christmas symbolize the coming of Christ as the Light of the World. Since earliest times, man has used lights—torches, watchfires, beacons—on occasions of joyous celebration.

Custom of placing a candle in the window on Christmas Eve is usually attributed to the Irish. It was thought that Christ wandered the earth on that night, and a candle would show Him a home where He was welcome, or help to light Him on His way.

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### Homer Cullum Passes Away

Homer Cullum, age 86, of 146 Hermosa Ave., passed away Thursday, Nov. 6 in a Los Angeles Hospital after a lengthy illness.

He originally came from Missouri and had lived in Sierra Madre for 26 years.

He is survived by his daughters, Mrs. Neta Hahn, of Lancaster, Calif., Mrs. Audra Mullen of Moline, Ill., Mrs. Evalle Haag of Des Moines, Iowa and Mrs. Marjorie Kaufman of Duluth, Minn., two sons, Leo Cullum, of Carbondale, Colo., Carl Cullum of Sierra Madre and Charles Cullum of Monrovia, 20 grandchildren and 31 great grandchildren.

Private services were in Ripple Mortuary Chapel, Saturday, Nov. 8 at 10 a.m. Committal was private at Pasadena Mausoleum.

special puppet show being offered at 10 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 15, at the Sierra Madre Library.

The show will consist of three scenes from "Winnie the Pooh," and will feature puppets loaned for the occasion by Evelyn Hawkins of the Creative Arts Group.

Everybody is welcome to attend the show, being sponsored by the Junior Friends of the Library. Participating in the program will be Midge Bromley, Gloria Hinshaw, Bruce Seymour, Estelle Seymour, and Alice Wittig. There will be no admission charge.

### Fellowship Meet Dec. 14

Members of the Sierra Madre Chapter of Dicken's Fellowship will meet at a Pasadena cafeteria Friday, Dec. 14 at 12 noon.

After luncheon they will enjoy a trip to Descanso Gardens to view the Christmas decorations in Friendship House.

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## At Public Library

Beach, Edward — Around the World Submerged — the voyage of the Triton.

Berger, Josef — Poppe — a warm and irresistible story of a tiny dynamo of nine years old who decides to adopt a middle aged Brooklyn couple.

Christie, Agatha — The Pale Horse — mystery concerns the murdered Father Gorman.

Kazan, Ella — America, America — a suspense narrative concerning a twelve year old European boy who wanted to come to this country.

Seifert, Shirley — By the King's Command — a historical novel, east Texas 1773.

Selzak, Walter — What Time Is the Next Swan? — autobiographical.

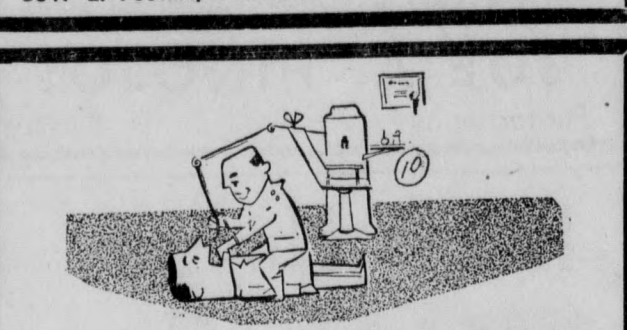
Snow, Edgar — The Other Side of the River — non fiction. Red China today.

Spock, Benjamin — Problems of Parents — parents and children, dating to Di-Stout, Rex — Gambit — a Nero Wolfe novel.

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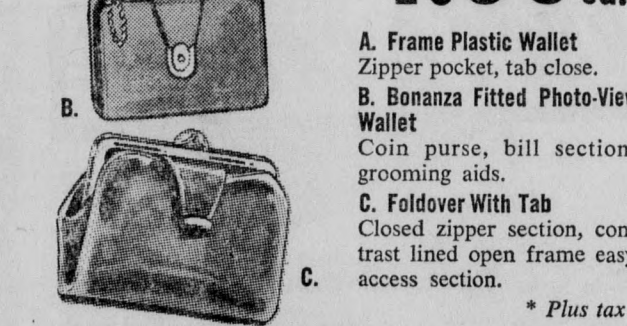
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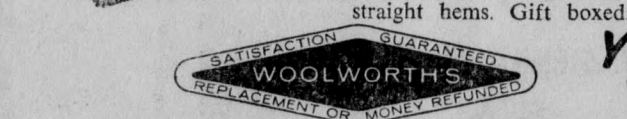


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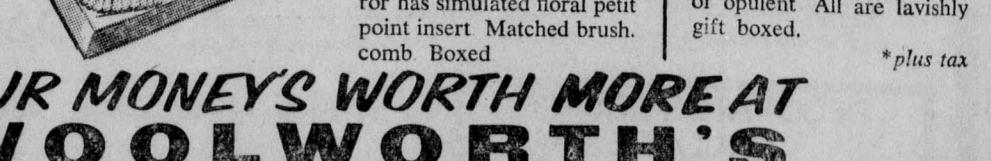
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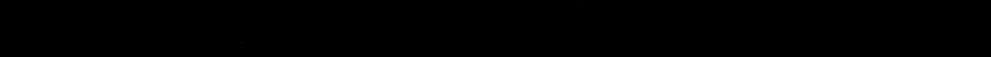


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### Christmas Musical At Bethany Sunday, Dec. 16

Next Sunday, Dec. 16, will be the beginning of a two week Christmas emphasis at all of the services at Bethany Church of Sierra Madre.

On Sunday morning, Dr. Robert N. Schaper, pastor of the church will preach on the subject, "The Christmas Setting." The Chancel Choir will sing during the same service the anthem, "Sing Gloria," by Katherine Davis. The service begins at 11 a.m.

The annual Christmas Musicale will be held on Sunday evening, Dec. 16 at 7 p.m. The Chancel Choir led by Dr. Douglas Coe will sing Bach's "Christmas Cantata" and a collection of Old English Carols in a contemporary style entitled, "Ceremony of Carols." Dr. Schaper will narrate parts of the Christmas story between numbers.

The Crusader Choir for elementary school children, led by Miss Margaret Meier of Pasadena, will sing "I Would Sing of Mary's Child" and "The Piper's Carol." This will be part of the evening program which for many years has been a highlight in the community for this season of the year.

### To Celebrate Birth of Jesus

Children and youths of Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church will celebrate the birth of Jesus by presenting a Christmas program for members of the congregation and friends.

The presentation this year will center around the wonderful story of the first Christmas. It will take place at 3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 16, at 33 E. Sierra Madre Blvd. Directing the program are Mrs. Ted (Alice) Huettis of Sierra Madre and Mrs. Ronald (Caryl) Rossiter of Pasadena, with the entire Sunday school staff co-operating and all the children and youth of the school participating.

The public is welcome. Light refreshments and an informal fellowship will follow the program.

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### Fortnighters In Bible Study

The Fortnighters, adult class at the Congregational Church, are engaged in a study of the Book of Acts. They are exploring the work of the Holy Spirit in the life of the early church. Currently, they are studying the story of Stephen, the first Christian martyr.

The group will meet this Friday evening, at 8 p.m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Morgridge, 2279 Country Club Drive, Altadena. Transportation will be available at the church.

### K. C. Christmas Party December 16

The Knights of Columbus, Sierra Madre Council No. 5137 will hold their annual Children's Christmas Party Sunday afternoon, December 16, from 3 to 5 o'clock at St. Rita's School Hall.

Bill Boardman will be in charge of arrangements. Ice cream, cake and punch will be served, followed by singing of Christmas Carols and other entertainment. The highlight of the afternoon will be Santa's appearance to distribute presents to the children.

Admission is free, but all children must be accompanied by their parents.

### Dr. Barnhart Announces Sunday Sermon

"The Power of Love" is the sermon topic of Dr. Etzel Barnhart at both the Family Worship Service at 9 a.m. and the regular 11 a.m. Worship Service Sunday, Dec. 16, at the Santa Anita Church of Religious Science, 226 W. Colorado Blvd., Arcadia. The omnipotent, healing, restoring power of love in the life of the individual will be the basis of the pre-Christmas message. Child care is provided at the 11 a.m. services.

Other Sunday services are the Junior Church for children from kindergarten through ninth grade, meeting at 9 a.m., and a Youth Activity for high school and college students, meeting at 7:30 p.m.

The regular Wednesday morning meditation hour conducted by Rev. Rosalie Fowler, meets at 10:30.

"Living the Triumphant Life of Sonship" is the subject Tuesday night, December 18, at 8 o'clock. This is a part of the special Christmas Services conducted by Dr. Barnhart. The public is invited. Free-will offering.

Call for help through prayer by dialing HI. 7-6162, day or night.

### Confidence In His Coming

For the person caught up in the holiday swirl of trees and tinsel, charge accounts and Christmas cards, the Christian church brings an accent on confidence that can be joyously welcomed, said the Rev. Ray E. Hansen in announcing his sermon for 10:10 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 16, at Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church.

"Confidence in His Coming" is what the world needs, he said, as much as John the Baptist needed such assurance. "When we have done our utmost for Christ, as did John," explained Pastor Hansen, "we need to be able to rely on Christ's coming to save us. This Jesus does as He reassures us that He does not expect us to accept Him by what He says, but by what He does and will do for the person who believes."

The Chancel Choir will sing "Praise, Adoration." Holy Baptism will be administered. Visitors are welcome, says Pastor Hansen.

The congregation, now meeting at 33 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., is building at the northwest corner of Santa Anita Ave. and Foothill Blvd. in Arcadia.

### Lesson-Sermon 'God The Preserver of Man'

The availability of divine protection and safety will be explained Sunday at Christian Science church services.

Highlighting the Lesson-Sermon entitled "God the Preserver of Man" is the Golden Text from the Bible (II Timothy): "The Lord shall deliver me from every evil work, and will preserve me unto His heavenly kingdom."

One of the citations to be read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy states (p. 151): "The divine Mind that made man maintains His own image and likeness."

These verses from Psalm 121 will also be read: "The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil: He shall preserve thy soul. The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore."

### Bethany Church Christmastime

Christmas is very much the theme around Bethany Church of Sierra Madre for the next two weeks as various groups of the church gather together for fellowship times.

The Sunday School classes which are having parties this week include the Two-Fifteen Class taught by Mrs. Earle Anstadt of San Gabriel; the Mariners Class taught by the Rev. Hugh S. Bell Jr.; and the Prospector Class taught by Mr. J. W. Moore of Sierra Madre. The Two-Fifteen class had their party last Tuesday evening while the Mariners have theirs on Friday and the Prospectors on Saturday.

The Chancel Choir will have a time of fellowship following the evening service this coming Sunday night. The Coronation Choir were invited to the home of Mrs. Ben F. Smith Jr. of Arcadia last Wednesday evening.

The Pioneer Girls Pal-Gal and Mom Party will be held next Monday evening at the church, Dec. 17. The Christian Endeavor groups will be having their parties on the following week as well as their carol times.

### Rev. Hesse Announces Sunday Worship

Representatives of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League will light the third Advent candle in the 8 and 10:30 Sunday morning worship services at Faith Lutheran Church, 845 Hastings Ranch Drive.

In both services the Rev. Armin Hesse will speak on the theme "The Ax for Advent — and Dishonesty," as he continues his series of Advent sermons on the words of John the Baptist in St. Luke 3:12-13.

During the 9:15 Sunday school hour, the departments will devote some time to preparation for the 7 o'clock Christmas Eve service in which the Sunday school, the choir and the congregation will participate.

This year's service has been adapted to accord with the plan of the American Bible Society which has invited "all America to read together on Christmas Eve the story of the birth of Christ." The Nativity record of St. Luke will be employed.

The sanctuary holiday decorations are under the supervision of the board of

### Friday Service At Jewish Temple

Rabbi Martin Sofer will conduct Sabbath Eve Services at the Foothill Jewish Temple-Center, 212 N. Lima St., Sierra Madre, on Friday evening, Dec. 14, starting at 8:15.

Prayers will be sung by Cantor Solomon Edelman, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Bernice Townner. Hosts for the Oneg Shabbat, social and refreshment hour following the services, will be Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Silverman of Arcadia.

Christian Education, Mr. Delbert Hartman, the chairman, has announced that each week another feature is being added to emphasize the approach of the festival of the Lord's birth.

### FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod  
845 HASTINGS RANCH DRIVE — ARMIN W. HESSE, PASTOR  
9:15 — SUNDAY SCHOOL & BIBLE DEPARTMENTS  
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### FRIDAY EVENING SERVICES AT TEMPLE BETH DAVID

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are conducted by Rabbi Camillus Angel, D.D.  
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### BETHANY CHURCH

(INTERDENOMINATIONAL)  
Baldwin at Montecito Robert N. Schaper, Pastor

9:30 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages  
11:00 a.m.—"The Christmas Setting"  
6:00 p.m.—Christian Endeavor (5 groups)  
7:00 p.m.—Annual Christmas Musicale  
Chancel and Coronation Choirs

### Santa Anita Church of Religious Science

226 W. Colorado Blvd., Arcadia HI. 9-8206  
DR. ETHEL BARNHART, Minister

Sunday, December 16 — 9:00 and 11:00 A.M.  
"THE POWER OF LOVE"  
Special Christmas Service, Dec. 18 — 8:00 P.M.  
Subject: "Living The Triumphant Life of Sonship"  
Junior Church 9:00 A.M. — Youth 7:30 P.M.

### THE METHODIST CHURCH

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Rev. Clinton W. Swengel, Pastor

Advent Sermon Series  
'The World, A Song'  
Service at 9:30 and 11 a.m.  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Child Care during Church

### EPISCOPAL Church of the Ascension

N. Baldwin at Laurel

Rev. Harley Gibbs Smith, Jr., Rector  
Rev. James H. Miller, Assistant Priest  
Rev. Stephen Green, Assisting

SUNDAYS

7:30 a.m.—Low Mass  
8:40 a.m.—Morning Prayer  
9:00 a.m.—Children's Mass, Church School  
Classes, Episcopal Young Churchmen, Adult Information Class.  
10:30 a.m.—Sung Mass and Sermon, Coffee Hour.

### Sierra Madre Congregational Church

"The Church of the Singing Tower"  
Church Services 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.  
"The Temptations of Jesus"  
Rev. George W. Lindsay, preaching

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Champagne Fifth 2.19  
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## LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE OF MARSHAL'S SALE**  
No. 23 001  
CLARK ARCADE, INC., Plaintiff  
vs. DOUGLAS McMANN, Defendant.

By virtue of an execution issued on October 11, 1962 by the Municipal Court, of Pasadena Judicial District, 200 North Garfield Avenue, Pasadena, County of Los Angeles, State of California, upon a judgment entered in favor of Clark Arcade, Inc. as judgment creditor and against Douglas McMANN as judgment debtor, showing a net balance of \$1094.04 actually due on said judgment on the date of the issuance of said execution, I have levied upon all the right, title and interest of said judgment debtor in the property in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, described as follows:

Lot 40 of Park Manor Tract, recorded in Book 11, page 160, of Maps, records of Los Angeles County.

COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 235 Park Ave., Sierra Madre, California.

## LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE INVITING BIDS**  
For Construction of  
SANITARY SEWERS  
IN

ASSESSMENT DISTRICT NO. 79

Pursuant to statute and Resolution No. 1945, adopted November 27, 1962 by the City Council of the City of Sierra Madre, California, and an act of the Legislature of the State of California designated as the "Improvement Act of 1911," as set forth in Division 7 of the Streets and Highways Code, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Clerk of said City, 55 West Sierra Madre Boulevard, Sierra Madre, California, until 10:30 o'clock a.m. on January 3, 1963, for furnishing all plant, labor, materials, and equipment for construction of sanitary sewers in Assessment District No. 79. Sewer pipe shall be 8-inch vitrified clay pipe OR asbestos-cement sewer pipe at the Contractors option. A combination of the two pipe materials will not be permitted. The work includes 818 linear feet of 8-inch sanitary sewer line and 21 vertical feet of standard manholes. All quantities are approximate. Said work is more particularly described in Resolution No. 1945, adopted October 23, 1962, by the City Council of said City. The entire work is contained in a single bidding schedule. All work must be completed within 30 calendar days after date of execution of the contract.

The proposals will be publicly opened and read in the Council Chambers of said City on the date and at the time above mentioned. The bids will be presented to the City Council at 8:00 p.m., on January 3, 1963. Plans and specifications and all contract documents may be obtained at the City Clerk's office of said City, or at the office of James M. Montgomery, Consulting Engineers, Inc., 535 East Walnut Street, Pasadena, California, upon payment of a deposit of ten dollars (\$10.00) for each set of specifications and accompanying drawings. Said deposit will be refunded upon return of the specifications and drawings in good condition within 30 days after the proposals are opened. The specification is entitled "SPECIFICATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SANITARY SEWERS IN ASSESSMENT DISTRICT NO. 79." Reduced prints of the original contract drawings are included in the specifications. The scale of the reduced drawings is about one-half the original scale. If full-scale drawings are desired for estimating purposes, they may be purchased at reproduction cost from James M. Montgomery, Consulting Engineers, Inc.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of ten percent of the aggregate amount of the proposal or by a bid bond for that amount signed by the bidder and two sureties, or by a corporate surety bond, as a guarantee that the bidder, if an award is made to him in accordance with the terms of his proposal, will promptly execute a contract in the required form not later than ten (10) calendar days following the date of publication of the Notice of Award, nor longer than twenty-five (25) calendar days following said date of publication, will secure payment of workmen's compensation insurance, and furnish a satisfactory faithful performance bond and a labor and material bond. Each of the last-mentioned bonds shall be in the sum of not less than fifty percent of the estimated aggregate amount of the payment to be made under the contract, computed on the basis of the price stated in the proposal. In addition to the above and if requested by the City, the bidder shall furnish a financial statement of recent date. Failure to comply with this requirement will render a bid informal and shall be sufficient cause for rejection.

Pursuant to applicable provisions of the Labor Code of the State of California, not less than the general prevailing rates of per diem wages for legal holidays and overtime work, for each craft or type of workman needed to execute the work contemplated under the contract, as ascertained by and set forth in the schedule of such wage rates specifically hereinafter set forth and adopted by the City of Sierra Madre, California, shall be paid to all workmen employed on said work by the Contractor or by any subcontractor doing or contracting to do any part of said work, which schedule of wage rates is as follows:

CLASSIFICATION	RATE PER HOUR
<b>CARPENTERS</b>	
Carpenter	\$4.10
Millwright	4.30
Saw Filer	4.15
Table Power Saw Operator	4.20
<b>CEMENT MASONS</b>	
Cement Mason	4.04
<b>IRON WORKERS</b>	
Journeyman Reinforcing Iron Worker	4.50
<b>LABORERS</b>	
Laborer General of Construction	3.26
Operator of Pneumatic and Electric Tools	3.47
Vibrating Machines, and similar mechanical tools not separately classified herein	3.47
Concrete Saw Man, excluding Tractor Type	3.47
Asphalt Raker and Ironer	3.47
Bussymobile Man	3.47
Cement Dumper (on 1 yd. or larger mixer and handling bulk cement)	3.47
Concrete Curer Impervious Membrane and Form Oiler	3.45
Cribber or Shorer	3.62
Flagman	3.26
Laying of all non-metallic pipe including Sewer Pipe, Drain Pipe and Underground Tile	3.57
Making and Caulking of all non-metallic Pipe Joints	3.45
Tarman and Mortarman	3.31
Watchman	2.60
<b>OPERATING ENGINEERS</b>	
A-Frame or Winch Truck Operator	4.135
Engineer-Oiler and Signaller	3.635
Air Compressor, Pump or Generator Operator	3.635
Concrete Mixer Operator, Skip Type	3.895
Equipment Greaser	4.135
Fireman	3.895
Heavy Duty Repairman	4.425
Heavy Duty Repairman Helper	3.635
Motor Patrol Operator (Any type or size)	4.535
Roller Operator, Compacting	4.245
Skiploader — Wheeltype — Ford, Ferguson, Jeep or Similar Type ¾ yard or less (Without dragtype attachments)	3.895
Tractor Operator — Dragtype Shovel, Bulldozer, Tamper, Scraper, and Push Tractor	4.435
Tractor Operator with Boom Attachments	4.535
Trenching Machine Operator (Up to 6 foot depth capacity, manufacturer's rating)	4.245
Trenching Machine Operator (Over 6 foot depth capacity, manufacturer's rating)	4.535
Universal Equipment Operator (Shovel, Back Hoe, Dragline, Clanshell, Derrick, Dredge Barge, Crane, Pile Driver, and Mucking Machine)	4.535
<b>TEAMSTERS</b>	
Driver of Dump Truck of:	
Less than 4 yds. water level	3.72
4 yds. but less than 8 yds. water level	3.75
8 yds. but less than 12 yds. water level	3.90
Driver of Truck Legal Payload Capacity:	
Less than 6 tons	3.72
6 tons to 10 tons	3.75
10 tons to 15 tons	3.90
Driver of Dumpster Truck — under 3 yds.	4.10
Driver of Transit-Mix Truck — 3 yds. or more	3.96
Dumpster Truck, less than 6½ yds. water level	4.10
Dumpster Truck 6½ yds. water level and over	4.10
Water or Tank-Type Truck Driver — under 2500 gals. to 4000 gals.	3.90
Truck Greaser and Tireman	4.05
Truck Repairman	4.56
Truck Repairman Helper	3.83

All others shall be paid at the prevailing wage rates paid in the County of Los Angeles. Overtime applicable to each classification shall be paid at the prevailing overtime rate in the County of Los Angeles. It shall be mandatory upon the Contractor whom the contract is awarded and upon any subcontractor under him to pay not less than the specified rate to all laborers, workmen and mechanics employed by them in the execution of the contract.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any informality in a bid, and to make awards as the interests of the City may require. This notice is given by the order of the City Council, City of Sierra Madre, California.

CITY OF SIERRA MADRE  
By: L. Marie Ward  
City Clerk

Dated: November 28, 1962  
Publish Sierra Madre News  
December 13 and 20, 1962

## 'YOUR CITY AND MINE'

## 'THE FUTURE WATER SUPPLY FOR SIERRA MADRE'

So many questions have been asked recently about the Sierra Madre Water Supply, Feather River (Northern California) Water and the Metropolitan Water District, that our Parks and Recreation articles are going to be sidelined for a few weeks to cover the subject of water.

The City of Sierra Madre, working with and through the San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water District of which the City is a member, is at this time trying to determine all of the facts and facets of the best future supplemental water supply for Sierra Madre. These articles will attempt to give the citizens of Sierra Madre a thorough background so that when the time for a final decision is at hand an informed public can be prepared to act. Do not be misled by all of the cross talk in other areas for the reason that final decisions have not been made by any district or city in the San Gabriel Valley and when these decisions are to be made, the Sierra Madre News will carry the latest information.

To further complicate matters, there are two municipal Water Districts operating in the San Gabriel Valley and while it is hoped that they will eventually be able to work out a plan which is best for both, at this time there will be two Districts working on the problem and the information concerning one does not necessarily mean that the other District is in full agreement.

The City of Sierra Madre operates its own Water Department. The existing water facilities were purchased when the city was first incorporated in 1907. Whatever is the course of action taken in the months to come, the city will continue to operate its own water company within the city limits. The present total water supply to the city consists of the water which can be pumped directly from the underground basins, the water which is captured in the Los Angeles River near the Sierra Madre Dam, and the water which the city puts underground through its spreading grounds on East Grand View.

Each of these sources of supply is limited. The regular underground pumping is controlled by a court order which resulted from the Raymond Basin Adjudication; the tunnel supply is limited by the capacity of the tunnels to intercept underground flow and the spreading operation by the amount of rainfall coming down the Santa Anita Wash which can be captured and put underground. Each of these sources is under constant study to see if more water can be made available. Each is subject to a considerable extent on the weather and rainfall.

Viewed in the short range and for our present population the total city of Sierra Madre water supply is barely adequate. The city has existed due to a few rainy years which have increased the tunnel flow and also the amount of spreading of water but even with these supplemental supplies, in 1961 the city had to purchase \$18,600 of water from Arcadia. The city must plan ahead to the time when through a combination of growth, dry years and the inability of Arcadia to have surplus water (through the same diminishing factors) our water will be short.

The City has been active as a member of the San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water District and as a part of this District has been studying the future supplemental sources of water and equally important, who would be the supplier of this water.

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## Double-Talk From On High

A vast and dismaying amount of what may fairly be called double-talk is coming out of Washington these days. We are told that we must have reductions in individual and corporate income taxes, running to \$5 billion or more a year, in order to spur a sluggish economy, and to guard against the possibility of a real recession in the comparatively near future. Lip service is paid to reducing or eliminating the annual multi-billion dollar deficit.

We are told, at the same time, that the Federal government must assume the responsibility for dealing with more and more of our problems, ranging from those of the states and cities to the family, by creating new bureaus and appropriating funds to pay for them. The list here is a long one, including the medicare scheme, more socialized federal electric power development, a federal agency to deal with urban difficulties, a farm bill of incredible complexity and unknown cost, more federal unemployment benefits to be paid over longer periods of time, federal ownership of space communications, and so on and so on.

Some of these proposals have been, for the moment at least, refused by Congress, and some are yet to be acted on. Some are Administration backed, some have other advocates. But all are seriously advocated and all, whether temporarily defeated or not, will remain in the political arena. And all call for more federal spending, some on a massive scale.

Well, one thing is certainly true. We can have tax reduction and more federal spending, at one and the same time. We can do it by ignoring the deficits, by sooner or later, turning the Treasury's printing presses loose — and bringing on a dollar-destroying inflation that will make past inflations look trivial by comparison.

## Pollution Problem Different

## London Killer-Smog Not Possible In L.A. County

A "killer smog" like that in London last week can not occur in the Los Angeles Basin.

Air Pollution Control Officer Smith Griswold made that clear just before leaving for Washington Thursday to attend the National Conference on Air Pollution, Dec. 10-11.

The pollution problem in the Los Angeles Basin is so different from that in England that it rules out completely the possibility of a similar emergency here, Griswold said.

"Most of the pollution in London comes from the burning of coal for domestic heating and industry," Griswold said. "This produces heavy soot and dangerous levels of sulfur dioxide and carbon monoxide."

"Here we are burning natural gas for domestic heating, and industry is prepared to switch from fuel oil to natural gas any time the forecast for smog is unfavorable."

Under Rule 62, adopted by the Board of Supervisors, industry in the basin must burn natural gas from April 15 to November 16, the period when weather conditions here are most favorable to smog. The remaining months an "Operation Fuel Switch" can be called by the Air Pollution Control District when eye irritation becomes moderate to heavy. Switch to natural gas fuel was called Dec. 5 and remains in effect until the eye irritant level drops.

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## State To Borrow 110 Million

Dec. 3 — State Controller Alan Cranston today served notice that the General Fund may have to borrow as much as \$110 million during December and January.

Cranston, in a letter to Governor Edmund G. Brown, said the General Fund could borrow the money from the Architecture Revolving Fund, California Water Fund and Special Deposit Fund.

Cranston said he would expect the first loan to be made the latter part of December and the balance in January as needed.

## Sessions To Start On Business Machines

New sessions are starting at Pasadena City College, Pasadena High School and Muir High School for all students interested in becoming efficient in the use of business machines and in taking a typewriting review course. These classes will meet from 7-9:30 each Monday and Wednesday evening through Jan. 23, 1963.

Registration is acceptable at any time in this non-credit class, and takes place in the classrooms of each of the schools mentioned above. There is no charge. Additional information may be had by calling SY 5-6961, Ext. 261.

## Helping Poor

Principles of Christianity are reflected in Christmas giving to the poor and unfortunate. An old legend says that on Christmas Eve the Christ Child roamed the earth, dressed as a beggar, in search of food and shelter. People believed that any kindness shown a beggar

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The Air Pollution Control Officer said reports from London indicate the air pollution is 14 times normal in London.

"Information from the U.S. Department of Health indicates this would be 4900 micrograms per cubic meter," Griswold said. We are told by the U.S. Department of Health that the highest ever recorded in the U.S. was 1706 micrograms per cubic meter."

The Los Angeles County Air Pollution Control District, a pioneer in the field, has offered its services to the U.S. Department of Health for assistance in London if needed, Griswold said.

## Decorating Trees

In ancient feasts of the winter equinox, trees were adorned with trinkets. Like many pagan customs, the evergreen tree became associated with Christian observances, and legends link it to the birth of Christ. One story says that on Christmas Eve, all the trees of the forest bloomed and bore fruit.

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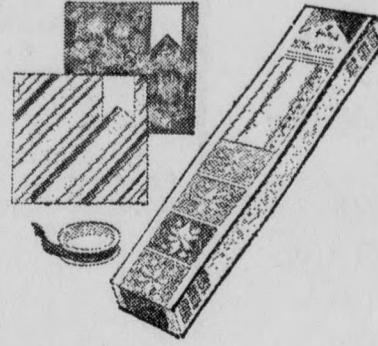
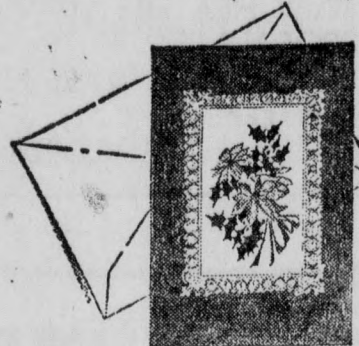
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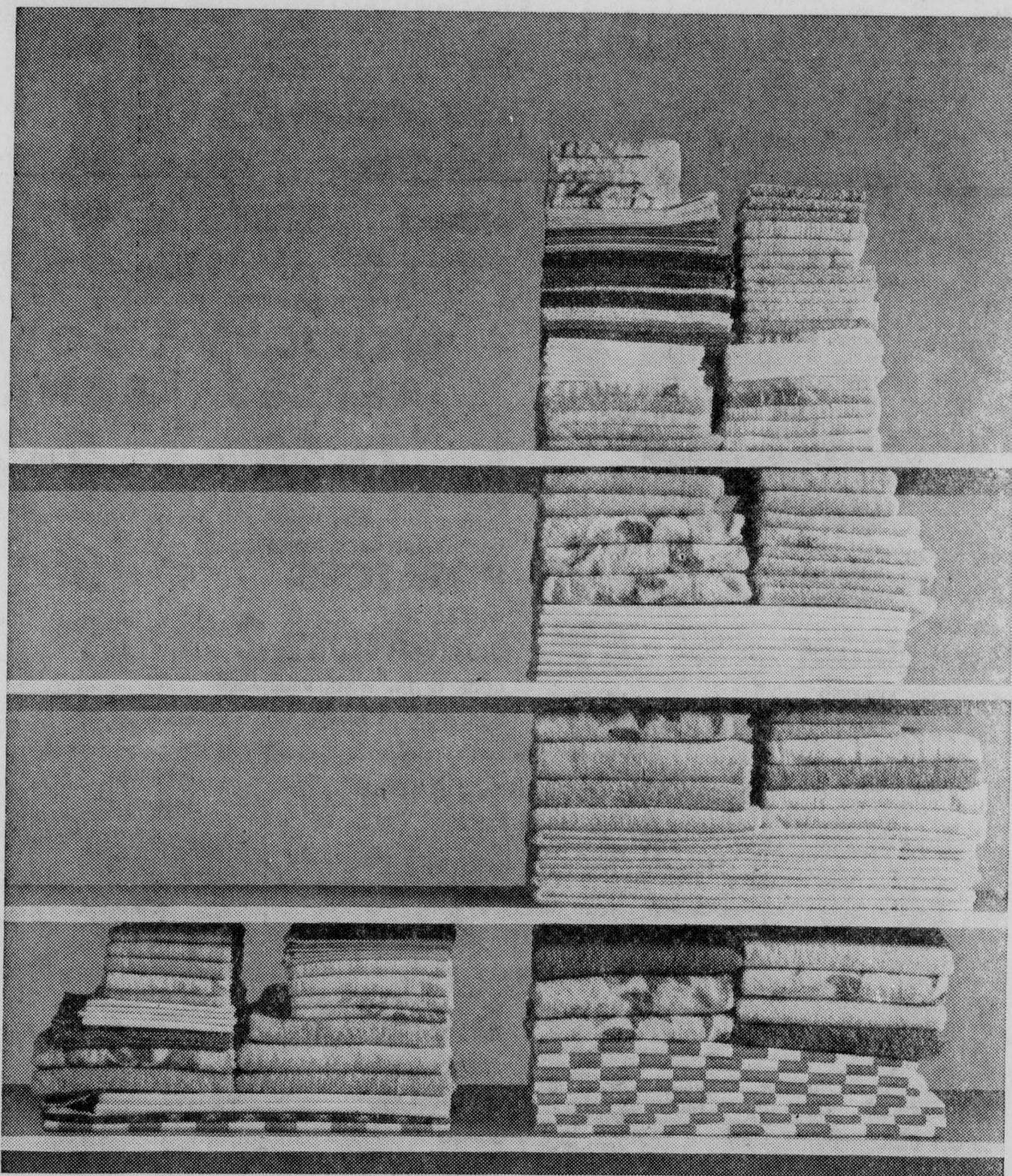
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# Editorially Speaking....

"Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you."

— The Bible Matt. 6:33

## Selling The Store!

According to the Regional Planning Commission of the County of Los Angeles in their Population and Dwelling Units Bulletin No. 78, Sierra Madre is listed as city number 58 for population out of the 74 cities in Los Angeles County, with a population as of October 1, 1962 of 10,521. The bulletin goes on to compare the increases of the county using the dates of April, 1960 as compared to October, 1962.

From one date to the other Sierra Madre has shown an increase in population of 789. The increase in dwelling for the same period of time shows 297, making the total number of dwellings as of this date 3,910.

Businesswise there is no comparison except that which we have taken out of the pamphlet "Taxable Retail Sales in California" published by the State Board of Equalization.

Sierra Madre with 164 retail outlets and a population of 10,521 has estimated taxable sales for the year 1962 of approximately 6 millions of dollars. Another city of California with a population of 5,021 shows that they have a total of 140 retail outlets but is estimated in doing slightly over 11 million in taxable sales. Still another city of California with a population of 10,787 shows that they will have an estimated 10 million in taxable sales for the year 1962.

Artisla, the city in Los Angeles County rated as number 56 has a total population of 11,887, with 193 retail permits and is estimated in doing a business in excess of 15 million for the year. On the other hand Palos Verdes, ranking as city number 57 in population shows that they have 84 retail permits but are estimated at accumulating approximately only 2½ million in taxable retail sales for the year.

Looking over these various facts and figures, one at once wonders why the taxable sales of Sierra Madre seem extremely low as compared to other cities of the same size, or comparatively the same size.

Competition could be one of the most outstanding features of a low retail sales figure for Sierra Madre. The advertising of shopping area in close proximity is one bug-a-boo that local merchants are constantly fighting and guarding against. Generally these merchants of the outside areas are constantly on their toes in wooing away the potential business of the area. To substantiate these remarks and these figures, it is found that over the past four months advertising in the Sierra Madre News has been 62 percent from outside our city limits and 38 percent within.

To combat these figures and these facts Sierra Madre merchants must put their shoulders to the wheel and sell the community as a whole and concentrate on advertising to "Selling the Store." "Selling the Store" through advertising is certainly a basic goal in any successful merchant. It means honest claims and representations. And it means keeping the name in question constantly before existing and potential customers.

Advertising has two very important jobs to do, and when it is done consistently and right it "Sells Merchandise," and it "Sells the Store."

A series of advertisements, found on page 9 of all issues of the News is a concentrated effort by several merchants of Sierra Madre to "Sell the Community" to the potential buyers. This campaign has been successful from the remarks that we have received from readers of the Hastings Ranch area alone. They have caused attention, they have started the buyers into thinking, now the individual merchant needs but to follow this planned campaign on their own individual advertising on "Selling the Store."

We, the merchants of Sierra Madre, have the stores, we have the potential buying power and we have the productive year of 1963 ahead of us. All of us working together could easily make the retail taxable sales figure for next year around the 10 million dollar figure.

## How About This

Great disasters generally bring out the best in people. The reverse was witnessed recently in one instance in western Washington which was lashed by hurricane force winds. A train crew abandoned over 300 passengers for two hours with no heat, water, food or means of communications. The union representative said a 16 hour work limit is imposed by the I.C.C. and violations are punishable by fine and imprisonment. Draw your own conclusions.

## And This

About 30 years ago, Washington took note of the fact that the rural people of the Tennessee Valley didn't seem to be as prosperous as those in much of the rest of the country. The Tennessee Valley Authority was the result. Today most of the Tennessee Valley is still described as "depressed," despite the outpourings of hundreds of millions of tax dollars to un-depress it.

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## Freedom At Any Price

by Henry V. Witty

Tales of pirates and their motley crews have long been a topic of intense interest to children and adults alike. The following story concerning such a lovable renegade, this columnist believes, is particularly worthy of adult consideration.

### ONCE UPON A TIME

Once upon a time there lived a pirate by the name of Laffoote. As pirates come and go, there was much to be said in his favor. He adored his wife and children and he felt a deep compassion for the lame, the halt, and the blind — indeed his heart went out to everyone in distress. What's more, he helped others so much he rarely had anything left over for himself.

Laffoote, however, had a one quirk in his moral make-up; he satisfied his deep, charitable instincts for others not with his own produce but with the fruits of the labor of others; that is, he acquired what he gave away not by willing but by unwilling exchange. He and his hoodlums, with guns and swords, would pounce upon hapless and honest traders and take their all.

True, the "beneficaires" of Laffoote's generosity thought him a great and loveable man. But the victims, the one from whom he looted, had thoughts about him quite to the contrary. These folks held to the proposition that all individuals had a moral right to the fruits of their own labor and, thus, they resented the pirate's methods. They went so far as to believe that Laffoote should gratify his generous impulses with his own, not with their, produce.

The victims had an additional thought: Predation as a way of life did not make social sense. If all were parasites, who would serve as hosts? They reasoned that if all were producers there would be more good done, even to the poor, than if all were predators.

No Pope or priest, no prophet or seer, no rabbi or pastor, ever felt cleaner at heart than did Laffoote. He saw nothing wrong with his way of life. Was no piracy his specialty, his chosen profession, his means of getting ahead?

The victims did not share Laffoote's self-assessment. They did not think him clean at heart in the slightest. They insisted that no sin was greater than to feather one's own nest at the unwilling expense of others. Each human being, they argued was as much a child of God as any other and for one to advance self at another's expense was to thwart God's will.

From these disparate ways of thinking there developed a moral schism of the first magnitude. Laffoote saw nothing wrong with his code. The victims thought his code not only uneconomic but evil and concluded that their society must be cleansed of piracy. Being more numerous than Laffoote and his gang, they organized, captured, and condemned him to hang by the neck till dead!

Poor Laffoote! There he stood on the trap door, noose around his neck, in bewildered pride and with a deep sense of moral rectitude. How to get even? Not much chance in this earthly life! That was near its end. There ought to be a way, thought he, to do good without getting hanged for it. Wasn't there a way to practice his code — taking from some and giving to others — that would result in acclaim rather than hanging? Then, in his last moments, Laffoote experienced a brilliant, intuitive flash: Why not legalize piracy? That would make it respectable. He could conscript his armed forces from the very people who were now hanging him and even they would thing him a benefactor. He would call them his

"constabulary" and they would call him their "Leader." The more Peters he would rob to help the poor Pauls the more honor would be heaped upon him. Why hadn't he thought of this before? But, alas, it was too late!

Ah! But was it too late? What about reincarnation? He had once heard someone speak of it. If only he could come back to earth in another form, he could put his new plan into effect. Such was the pirate's last thought before the trap door was sprung.

Laffoote did not return to earth in bodily form. But the spirit of Laffoote did return and fastened itself in the minds of mankind — Americans as well as others — in a most effective manner. From the farms, from the factories and executive offices, from the pulpits — from rich and poor alike — emerges the spirit of Laffoote, the pirate. The more his "brilliant" idea is imitated, the more are honors, esteem, titles, uniforms, and medals conferred on the imitators. The spirit of Laffoote rides unbelievably high. Its proper name is "socialism" but which, when practiced by Russians, we call "communism."

### Hermit of The Sierra Madre



with Den Murray

It was obvious the Hermit was blue. I charged him with the fact. "Yes," he acknowledged, "I'm a bit cast down. This boy that's running the country..." The old man shook his head.

"What's the matter with the boy?" I demanded. "What's he done now?"

"It's what he ain't done," said the Hermit. "Here he is — in charge of the most powerful nation on this earth and he acts like we're Ghana or something! Why in the eternal doesn't he tell Khrushchev: 'Look jerk! A HUNDRED AND EIGHTY million Americans say you don't bull this game! You behave or else! You want war — you'll get it! And we're not going to send you an engraved invitation either!'"

The old man was really rolling now. Gone was his depression. I said, "In other words, you'd invite war."

"Yes," he said, "I'd invite war. And you'd see that Kremlin bully turn tail and run. The trouble with this country in foreign relations has been — we don't speak out. We've got everything it takes except guts. Or, I should say, we've got the guts but our spokesman hasn't."

"You'll be criticized by the 'liberals' I warned. 'Yes,' he nodded, 'and I'll be disappointed if I'm not. Your paper can't print what I'd like to say about the 'liberals.' Goldwater was right. If Kennedy had the sense that God gave geese he'd dump those 'liberals' so fast their fuzzy heads would swim. And then this country could tell the other nations: Look, it's going to be this way! And it's going to be that way! You're going to straighten up and fly right or else!'"

I looked at the old man. He meant it. He was angry. "Jumping Joseph!" he said. "Shades of Teddy Roosevelt! When is this boy going to realize he's running the most powerful nation on this globe!"

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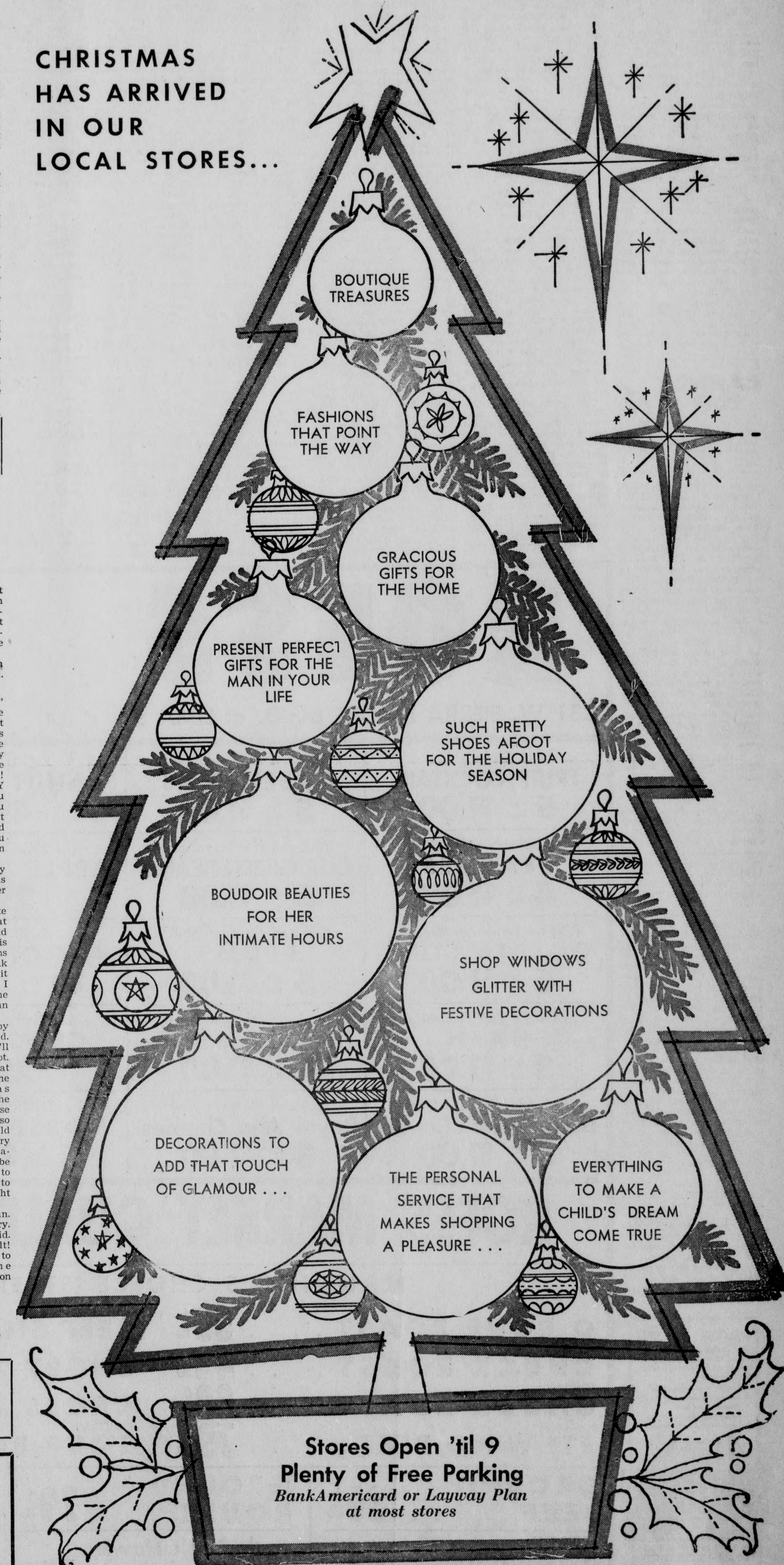
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## Letters to the Editor

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Dear Editor:

An open letter to Santa Claus.

Dear Santa:

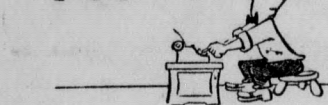
I realize that I'm asking for an awful lot this year; perhaps more than even you can give, but since this is not a selfish request, I'm sure you'll do your best to fulfill it.

As we once again celebrate the birth of The Prince of Peace, bring to every driver the spirit of brotherhood to make him considerate and thoughtful to his fellow motorists, now and in the new year just ahead.

Fill his Christmas stocking with great driving skill, good judgment and patience. Leave him a bright candle of understanding to help him see the other fellow's needs, as well as his own, behind the wheel; and to light his way safely over the highways in the darkness of the night.

Give every pedestrian a candy cane of caution that he may walk with care and always reach his destination without accident or injury.

## CARROT TOP



couldn't blow it down." Well, I remember quite well the "bell bottomed" trousers, too. . . they sure had a lot of shoe room.

—CT—  
Here is an astounding fact, but true: . . . "It is illegal to read the Bible in the public schools in Illinois, but the law further reads that it is the requirement of the state to provide a Bible for every prison inmate."

—CT—  
I hate to say so, but the moral of this story could be: "Don't worry, kids, if you can't read the Bible in school, you will have the opportunity to do so when you get to prison." Sometimes it is hard for us to understand what our legislators are thinking about, or if they are even thinking about what they are doing.

—CT—  
If you have been in the Sierra Madre Coffee Shop recently you will note a new addition. A waterfall is the new decoration. Makes one feel that he is eating and drinking his coffee somewhere in the High Sierras. Quite an impressive addition.

—CT—  
Although this is my first year in Sierra Madre, I cannot help but be amazed at the working of the Sierra Madre Float Committee. Seems that without any great fanfare, they know their schedule and get to work and start production. Of course, one can more easily understand the situation when one realizes that this is "Sierra Madre" and that is the way its people work. As time grows shorter and shorter, more and more workers are needed, so if you have a spare hour or two, get in touch with the committee; they will have a place for you. Also, while we are on the subject, any spare dollars that you might have could be put to work also.

—CT—  
A closing thought for this week and then I'll get to work. . . "The art of taxation consists of so plucking the goose as to obtain the largest amount of feathers with the least amount of hissing." Need we say more? We'll be seeing you around the Christmas Tree, I hope, I hope, I hope.

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## Calif. Water & Telephone Co. Employees Honored

Forty employees of the California Water and Telephone Company celebrated their service anniversaries with the Company recently at the Eldorado Inn, 2727 New York Drive, Altadena.

The group made up exclusively of employees in the Monrovia area were honored for service records dating from 10 to 35 years. To each was awarded a gold pin, a replica of California Water & Telephone's familiar insignia with a jewel attached for each five years of service. The principal awards were made by Dale Eckrote, district manager, and by J. C. Newman, manager of the entire Telephone Division of the Company.

Others participating in the presentation of awards were Knox Hagar, Assistant Division Manager, Leland Allen, Chief Engineer, and James Naylor, Commercial Director.

Homer Bailey, a recipient of an award for 35 years of service, most all of which has been in Monrovia, was unable to attend. However, Sigurd Lind and Gladys Mankins, each of whom received awards for their 25th anniversaries, highlighted the ceremonies.

Anna Mae Fetters and Helen Rice were awarded pins containing two diamonds commemorating their 20 years of service as operators. Rita Griffin was awarded a similar pin for the same length of time combining her service as an operator and a service representative.

The following received awards for their 15th anniversaries: Hilda Hytt, Lester Reed, Fred Beatty, Nadine Boyle, Marie Copple, Helen

Dodge, Eleanor Hill, James King, Pauline Ronzoni, Donald Senior, and Keith Vine.

Twenty-two employees received ten-year awards as follows: Clayton Benjamin, James Clements, Robert Collins, Marvin DeYonker, Corinne Fuller, Olin Hill, Paul Longfellow, Thomas Reiche, Lucille Stirling, Mary Jane Bishop, Jack DeHart, Genevieve Gladdis, Daniel Galvin, Helen Lindewall, Walter Lotz, Florence McCune, Cyril O'Connell, Richard Peterson, Theodore Riggs, James Slawson, Bernice Thompson, Louis Tuttle, William Voden and Philip Woodward.

Pete Peterson and Wendell Banks were also recipients of awards but were unable to attend the ceremonies.

## Virginia Vine As Vice-President

Civic Club members welcomed Mrs. Virginia Vine as the new vice president at their last meeting held on Nov. 20. She wills the vacancy created by the resignation of Mrs. Steward Fried.

Mrs. Vine was elected president of the club two years ago but could not serve due to her family moving to Los Altos.

Her first project will be the planning of the club's Christmas Party for members of their husbands scheduled for Dec. 22.

## Cub Pack 381 Nov. Activities

Sierra Madre Cub Scout Pack 381 held its monthly pack meeting at Sierra Madre School on Nov. 9, presided over by Cubmaster Ken Taylor with an assist from Pack Chairman Harry Young. High point of the evening was the induction of 26 new Cubs, forming 3 new dens and making Pack 381 among the largest packs in the area. New Den Mothers are: Charlotte Mikity, Lucille Groth and Virginia Vine. The skit of the evening was presented by Den 7 which also won the honor flag for the most awards. New awards-chairman, Don Stuart was kept quite busy and the new group promises to make him more so.

November 10 was the long-awaited Cubs and dads visit to the Sea-Bee Base at Port Hueneme. Pack 390 joined 381, boarded two buses for the overnight trip, ably chartered by Rudy Lopez. A grand time was had by all.

Pack 381 turned out 50-strong to march in Saturday's Dedication parade for the Flag Pole.

Jim Link, chairman of Good Turn Day scheduled for Dec. 1, announces that the Cubs will round-up and donate old clothing to charity, and the boys will be knocking on their neighbors' door next week.

## Singing Carols

Caroling at Christmas may be a carryover from the Roman songs of the Saturnalia, or so some researchers believe. Early Christian songs were solemn and forbidding. The simple, touching carols best liked today didn't gain widespread popularity until the 14th and 15th centuries.

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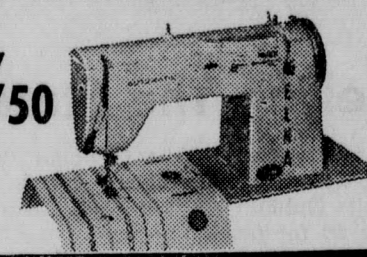
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